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LOVING CUP OFFERED AS PRIZE FOR WINNERS OF COMPETITIVE DRILL

Arrangements Are Nearly Perfected for Affair To Be Held at Charleroi Ball Park May 6.

The arrangements for the competition drill between the Monongahela and Monessen Cadets and the Charleroi Boys Brigade that is to take place in the Ball Park in Charleroi May 6, between the hours of 5 and 7 are almost completed and those having the matter in charge have the assurance that Colonel Coulter of Greensburg and staff will be here on that date to act as judges. A silver loving cup will be presented the winners by the three banking houses of Charleroi, the First National, the Bank of Charleroi and the Charleroi Savings and Trust company, is now on display in the window of J. W. McKean's jewelry store. This cup is a thing of beauty and of the very latest type, and angraved with the names of the banks, with plenty of space left for the names of the brigade lucky enough to win it. In order for any brigade to own the cup, however, it will have to be won more than once, as it must be contested for three times. There is also a prize of $10 in gold to be given the winner besides a supper to all the boys who take part, which will be served after the contest is over.

From reports the boys in all three towns are going in this contest in dead earnest, for they are drilling every night, and if the weather is good the town will be crowded with the boys and their friends from all along the river. This contest is the outcome of the one between Charleroi and Monongahela given here April 1, which caused so much interest. At that time, although both brigades did very well, they claim they were not at their best, and asked for another chance to demonstrate what they coould do, after a little practice, so May 6 was decided upon

Everybody is invited, and no charge will be made to the grounds, but the grand stand will be reserved for ladies. The committe has requested the J. A. Wood band to give a concert on that night, also the new Italian band that gave the concert one night last week on the streets, which was so much appreciated by those who were lucky enough to hear it.

COMMITTE ARRANGING FOUR-YEAR SCHEDULE FOR NORMAL SCHOOLS

California Normal in the New Arrangement to Add Another Year to the Present Course.

STUDENTS TO GRADUATE IN 1911 ARE NOT PLEASED

"The Southwestern State Normal School at California as well as other normal schools of the State will probably put into effect the new normal school four year course with the beginning of the fall term next September. A committee of principals in session at Harrisburg has about completed the schedule for the four years' course, and there will be no delay in putting it into effect. The report of the committee making out the schedule will have to be submitted to State Superintendent Nathan C. Schaffer, and his approval will be necessary before it can be put into effect.

The action for an increase in the course was announced first in the Mail from a three year to a four year course as taken only after due consideration. One feature will be a two year residence rule, it being thought that the students can receive more benefit from the instructions where they reside at the school.

Already the new move has caused considerable discussion at the California Normal, and some of the students have threatened nothing less than a strike.

The California Normal is excluisvely a teacher's training school. The change will doubtless mean no graduating class for 1911, the students who would have matriculated this year being compelled to go another year.

BURGLARS TAKE GUNS AND KNIVES, BUT LEAVE THE CASH DRAWER UNTOUCHED

Myers Hardware Store at Bentleyville Burglarized Between Midnight and Daylight.

The Meyers harwdare store at Bentlevyille was burlarized sometime between midnight and 6 o'colck this mroning, and $125 or $150 worth of hardware taken, mosity in guns, knives and watches. Entrance was made through a rear window to the store, the glass being broken and then the window unlocked.

There were about 20 good revolvers taken, of Iver Johnson and Spraggs Richardson make, among the number being a six shooter 32 calibre revolver. There were a number of watches and knives taken, but the money drawer which contained some of yesterday's receipts was apparently untouched.

Thomas Meyers, the proprietor of the establishment, who lives over the store, had no knowledge of the burglary until thismorning, when he went to open up the store. He notified the police immediately and a strict lookout will be kept so that any effort to dispose of the guns will be detected. He has offered $25 reward for the arrest of the guilty person or persons.

From appearance the burglary was committed by one person, and the only clue which might aid officers are footprints near and marks on the window.

AGENTS ON A TOUR OF INSPECTION

E. F. Krahmer, the local Pennsylvania railroad agent was a member of an agents' inspection party yesterdwy which took a trip over Western Pennsylvania terminals, and inspected freight accommodations in various parts. The inspection trip was taken in place of the regular three months' agents meeting which was to have been held yesterday. At the head of the party was General Superintendent S. C. Long and Division Superintendent A. G. Mitchell, and a number of other officials.

Notice to the Public

According to our court's ruling we have discontinued solicitors. All persons wishing beer, will call at the Charleroi Brewery, or send order and money by mail, and the order will be promptly delivered.

Independent Brewing Co., Pittsburg, Charleroi Brewery. 155tf

Last Friday Night Dance

The last Friday night of the season will be held in Bank of Charleroi on Friday, April 22. A cordial invitation to our regular patrons and their friends. Music by Jenkins orchestra. 207t3

Charleroi Coucni No. 120, Royal Arcanum, will hold a stag euchre on Monday, April 25 at 8 p. m. for members and their friends. Members of the council who desire invitations for their friends can obtain them from the Collector or from the committee. Council will meet in regular session at 7:30. 36t1

Everybody get ready for the Washington County Fair April 28 and 29. 206-tf

PRESS ASSOCIATION WILL HOLD MEETING ON FRIDAY EVENING

The Monongahela Valley Press Association will hold a meeting on Friday evening in Charleroi, when the members of the association will be the guests of the Mail Publishing company. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock at the Hotel Walfred, and a business and round table meeting will follow, during which there will be a discussion of various topics of interest to newspaper men. Among the talks will be one by J. Mac Calvin, of the Donora News, on the meeting of the Western Pennsylvania AssociatedDailies, where the print paper situation as affected by the tariff was talked about. Mr. Calvin was the only member of the local association to attend the meeting.

Superentendent Adams Mother Dies Yesterday

Mrs. Adams, aged 65 years, the mother of Supreintendent M. Adams of the Charleroi Douglas college, dieo yesterday afternoon at about 2 o'clock at her home in Glassport, following an illness of several days. Death was due to indigestion and inflammation of the bowels. There is another son besides Superintendent Adams of Charleroi who survives. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Delicious.

Brick Ice Cream is the most satisfactory way of serving. Try it. Always on hand at Wagner's. 193tf

Everybody get ready for the Washington County Fair, April 28 and 29. 206-tf

Fertilizers of all kinds at R. C Mountsier's 194tf

WILL DISCUSS CHARACTER OF HUGO'S

Dr. Witherspoon of Pittsburg to Lecture Before Athene Club on "Jean Valjean."

FINAL LITERARY MEETING

For their final literary meeting Friday afternoon of this week the Athene Club of ladies have secured Dr. Witherspoon, pastor of the Emory M. E. church of Pittsburg, to give a lecture on "Jean Valjean," one of the characters in Victor Hugo's "Les Miserables." Miss Minnie Richardson will be the hostess for the afternoon, and will entertain the members of the club at her home on Lincoln avenue. For guests the Athene club will have members of the Friday Afternoon Club of Monongahela, and two members of the California, the Canonsburg and Donora clubs. The pastors of the various churches and their wives have also been invited. During his stay here Dr. Witherspoon will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Booth, former members of his church.

Clerk's Union is Formed at Brownsville by Organizer Baker

Organizer Ed. Baker has completed the organization of a Brownsville Retail Clerks union, and now is working on locals for Donora and Belle Vernon, where he states prospects are good. At Brownsville there are 53 members, and more are expected to join. The officers are: President, Charles Woford; vice president, W. C. Springer; financial secretary, D. W. Pringle; recorder, Mrs. P. H. Hertzog; treasurer, Louis Dsart; trustees, Paul Bird, William Coldren, Graham Allison; guide, Miss Sellenberger; guard, Lee Lowenstein.

Contractor Dies at Home in Monessen

Peter J. Preston, 60 years old, a well known buiding contractor of Monessen, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 424 Reed avenue, after an illness of some duration. The funeral will be held at requiem high mass at St. Leonard's Catholic church Saturday morning. Interment in Grandview cemetery. The deceased is survived by his widow and several children.

Muslin, Crashes, Percales at less than old time prices at Berryman's Anniversary Sale. 208t3

An extraordinary sale of Ladies' tailor made suits in our Anniversary Sale. Berryman's. 208t3

CELEBRATING FOURTEENTH ANNIVERSARY

Berryman's Big Department Store Remembering its Birthday.

HAS HAD RAPID GROWTH

Charleroi's big department store is celebrating the completion of its 14th year in Charleroi. From the smallest of beginnings it has grown steadily and surely until now our city can boats of a modern up-to-date store. We believe that any city should be able to boast of its schools, its churches, its municipal buildings, its streets, etc., and also its stores.

Our plan has been to sell the best grade of merchandise at the lowest prices consistent with quality, and you'll find the merchandise here as good as sold in any city store at the same price. This celebration will take the nature of a great anniversary sale, the greatest price reducing anniversary sale ever attempted by this store.

In these days of high living expenses this sale will come as a blessing to all who participate. The ladies suit deparmennt will offer its customers the greatest values ever sold in this store. An overloaded manufacturer nas just shipped a big lot of ladies suits at a saving of half. This great suit sale will interest every lady in all this country. These suits arrive this week and will positively be sold at $9.98. The skirts alone are worth that money. Every other suit in the stock will be sold at a heavy reduction. We are safe in saying you will see Charleroi's greatest Bargain Suit Prices.

Then again comes muslins at the old low prices, percales, madras, hose, carpets—hundreds of special prices, is your bargain feast.

At this time the new Clothing Department for men and boys will be opened. Clothing that bears the stamp of reliability—bought right and sold right. We invite an inspection. We particularly invite the mothers to see our line of boys' and children's clothing. We invite every one to this sale—some truly remarkable bargains.

208t2 J. W. BERRYMAN & SON.

Notice.

All members of the Washington Avenue Boy's Brigade are ordered to meet at their drill hall, Friday evening at 7 sharp. A representative of the M. C. Lilley Co. will be present to measure the company for service uniforms. Every member is urged to be present.

208t2p Chas. Wallgren, Capt.

Young man would like to keep books for small concern during morning hours. Write 259 Daily Mail. 2072t

Everybody get ready for the Washington County Fair, April 28 and 29. 206-tf

NEW TYPESETTING MACHINE HELPS TO BRIGHTEN PAPER

It's the after results that tells, when a change is made, and from the much neater as well as more newsy appearance the Monessen Independent has after a week or ten days, use of its new Unitype machine the investment in this new piece of mechanism was undoubtedly a wise one. The Unitype is one of the later date machines for typesetting, and is in use all over the country, in publishing houses. The Independent was the second newspaper in this part of the Monongahela valley to install a machine for setting tpye, the Mail having been the first, and the benefit to be derived therefrom is manifold. The typesetting machine is not only a time saver, but it is also an economical device, and it is said to be especially true of the Independent's new Unitpye. The amount of tpye which can be set by it is far greater than by the old hand method, which has been in vogue at the Independent office since its start. This fact is responsible for the bright appearance nowadays of the Independent. The Mail joins with other newspaper along the vally in congratulating the Independent upon its enterprise and up-to-dateness.

Congressman Tener Takes a Run Home

Congressman J K. Tener arrived in town from Washington, D. C., last night in order to attend to his business interests as well as look over the district in regard to his political prospects. Mr. Tener is looking well and is shaking hands with his numerous friends, who are well pleased over the work done by the Rivers and Harbors committee that affects this section. He will return to Washington tomorrow evening.

Brick Ice Cream.

You should try a brick of Wagners Ice Ceeam. They have them in all flavors. 193tf

Nothing takes the place of home bakery. Let us demonstrate our superiority. P. Calistri, 337 McKean avenue. 207t6

ANNUAL RECEPTION ATTENDED BY MANY FROM OUT OF TOWN

One of the most sucessful social events in the history of the Charleroi Council No. 956 Knights of Columbus was the annual reception held at Turner Hall last night. There were about 250 persons present constituting members of the Charleroi and other councils, with their wives and lady friends.

The honor guest was District Deputy John W. Slater of Washington, who made an address along general lodge lines and the work being done by the Knights of Columbus. State Deputy John T. Brew, of Erie, who was to have come was unable to be present.

Dancing was enjoyed from 8:30 o'clock to 2 and euchre from 8:30 to 10:30, handsome favors being awarded. A buffett lunch was served. The hall was beautifully decorated, in red and blue, the club's colors. There were guests present from other lodges, in Pittburg, Monessen, McKeesport, Connellsville, Uniontown and Washington. The committee in charge of the affair was Dennis Oates, H. T. Correll, M. T. Crowley, J.K. Rickey, Con. Buchanan and C. F. O'Donnell.

Improving Grounds Surrounding Crest Avenue Building

Under the supervision of the building committee of the school board, improvement, are being made at the Crest avenue school for beautifying the site, and making it on a par with other school sites. The work has been going on during the past few days, trees being planted, the ground being graded and prepared for the sowing of grass, which work will be done soon. The grass will be sown on the two sides and front of the Crest avenue building.

The Crest avenue school is the latest addition to Charleroi's school structures, having been in use but little more than a year. It contains eight rooms, and the principal is Miss Grace Iams.

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Political Announcements

FOR CONGRESS

JOHN K. TENER

OF CHARLEROI

Subject to the Decision of the Republican Voters of the Twenty-Fourth District at the Primaries June 4

Lost Thunder.

With the announced retirement of Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, and Uncle Joe Cannon to step down and out as Speaker of the House, nothing is left for former Congressman E. F. Acheson to knock the Republican party. Senator Aldrich, the alleged supporter of the trusts and monied interests in United States Senate, announces that he will not seek a renomination after this session of Congress, and Speaker Cannon of the House, who is alleged to have driven through the House Senator Aldrich's measures, to the detriment of the public, has had his power curtailed, and will not again succeed himself as Speaker. In the face of this removal of causes for party disaffection, nothing remains for Mr. Acheson, if he proposes to continue his policy of opposition to Republicanism, but to go over to the Democratic party "body and breeches," as he already has in spirit and sympathy.

The great movement in public righteousness that has been sweeping the country has had the effect of purging the political parties, as well the churches, financial and all other organizations of their reprehensible elements. It is not necessary to destroy an organization founded upon correct principles simply because its functions have been usurped by individual and selfish interests. Both the Democratic and Republican parties were founded upon vital principles of humanity. The Democracy came into being as a party of protest against privilege, and the Republican party was born in defense of human liberty. With the undesirable and selfish elements eliminated from each, the only issue which would now divide them would be a matter of policy in fiscal and economic administration. Both parties are purging their ranks of the undesirable elements, and each has succeeded to the extent that in the matter of opposition it is now a clear cut contest.

There is no reasonable excuse for disgruntled Republicans of Mr. Acheson's tpye, and the only thing for him to do in his policy of opposition is to become an out and out Democrat.

Too Many Units.

Chancellor McCormack's statement that there should be some radical changes in the courses of our common schools, so that a boy or girl at sixteen years of age will have completely and thoroughly finished the twelve grades, is one that should have weight. This eminent educator asserts that there are too many units in most of the courses at the present time, and the youth who leaves school at the age of sixteen is not proficient enough in the common branches to give him a solid foundation for self-education in after years.

Old-timers who passed through the common branches in the district school and remained until sixteen years of age, will readily see the truth of the statement of the chancellor, of the Western Univeristy of Pennsylvania. The last two years of district school life were usually devoted to reviewing and familiarizing the pupil with work already gone over, so that the pupil of a generation ago was infinitely better grounded in practical knowledge than the high school graduate of the present day, who has a smatteringof more branches, but is not so thorough, as a rule, in the common branches. Many school course are forumlated with the ultimate object of higher education, but the great majority of public school pupils do not go to college, and these should receive the consideration that is due them.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

It is not always the qualications alone that entitles a ball player to a place in the professional ranks. Sometimes his spirit of cheerfulness enters into his engagement or non-engagement.

If Aldrick quits his place in Congress the big money kings will lose a mighty good friend.

No one ever said the Yough river did not need to be dammed. Some have even hinted profanely that it had some treacherous passages.

With all due respect to Teddy, it is a matter of history that he has yet failed to tell what got away.

Charleroi can't very well have a Union depot, unless the street car companies will chip in.

While a fellow cannot tell much what Italian dramatists are talking about, still he can appreciate their acting, more than he can some American attempts.

Oxfords seem to be going out of style instead of coming in at the present.

Straw hats are only a dream thus far

Hereafter there will be no strkes in the fifth district by the United Mine Workers of America. They will be "troubles."

The reason they sing grand operas in so many different languages, is that the singer are of so many climes that the managers are afraid to trust them with other languages than their own, for fear there might be some person in the audience who would understand.

If Anthony Drexal will only have the good sense to keep out of politics there is no reason why he and his bride should not lead a happy existance

Harry Thaw seems to be the most popular man in law suits in America.

This world is a pretty rough old place, because the truth has been crushed to earth so often.

We are so glad to know the Charleroi Water company is "going" to start work soon.

Nice Discrimination.

"Stop!" cried an author to a maid-servant. "What papers are you burning there?"

"It's all right, sir," was the reply. "These are only the old sheets covered with writing. I 'aven't touched the clean ones!"

Although vanity is supposed to be a feminine trait, one doesn't have to scratch very deep to find it in a man.—Chicago News.

Potatoes a la Princesse.

To one pint of mashed potatoes add one tablespoonful melted butter and one egg well beaten. Cut the potatoes into strips two inches long, one inch wide and half an inch thick. Dip the strips first into the melted butter, then into the egg and lay them with a knife on lightly buttered tin pans. Cook in hot oven for ten minutes and serve.

Compensation.

A young cadet was complaining of the tight fit of his uniform.

"Why, father," he declared, "the collar presses my Adam's apple so hard I can taste cider!"—Harper's Weekly.

First Omnibus.

"Omnibus" was an almost brand new word in its modern sense when Shillibeer took it from the French in 1829, and in France the name possessed a special significance for those who knew their history, for from 1672 to 1676 Paris had already seen a regular service of roomy public vehicles, "carosses a cinq sous." Only these predecessors of the modern bus were not "omnibus"—for all. The letters patent which instituted them for the benefit of middle class people laid down that they were not to be used by soldiers, lackeys or any other wearers of livery or artisans and laborers. These exclusive vehicles faded out of existence, and the new ones, which were started in Paris in 1828, were named "omnibus" expressly to signify their democratic character.—London Chronicle

Crowded New York.

New York always was crowded. In 1837 it had about thirty first class hotels. Most of them were below City Hall park. The capacity of these houses was about 6,000. The average number of visitors to the city at that time was estimated to be 20,000. It is stated by an early historian that it was not an unusual sight to see strangers in the city wandering from house to house, carrying their baggage with them, seeking lodging for the night. At that time there were only three hotels conducted on the European plan. Lodging at the latter was from $2.50 to $3.50 a week.—New York Press.

Not Since the Flood.

Sir Henry Irving once received what he at the time considered a very palpable snub, delivered him by a highlander. While touring in Scotland the actor visited some of the notable traditionary scenes associated with Shakespearean drama. As a matter of course one of the first pilgrimages was to the blasted heath where Macbeth met the witches. In an agreeable mood Sir Henry as they drove along turned smilingly to his driver.

"Are there any witches about now?" he asked.

The driver whipped up his horses.

"Not since the flood," he replied in his curt Scots way.

Beware of Flies.

Flies are a great menace to health. It has been proved that they cause many diseases, and therefore babies should be carefully protected from them. We know that the fly causes a large percentage of typhoid fever cases and that it is the chief disseminator of diarrheal diseases. Therefore during the entire summer every mother should wage unceasing warfare on the common household pest. The number of bacteria on a single fly may range from 550 to 6,600,000. Early in the season the number of bacteria is comparatively small, but it increases rapidly with the progress of the summer. Screen all food.

Learn to Laugh.

Learn to laugh. A good laugh is better than medicine. Learn to tell a story. A well told story is as welcome as a sunbeam in a sickroom. Learn to keep your own troubles to yourself. The world is too busy to care for your ills and sorrows. Learn to do something for others. Even if you are a bedridden invalid there is always something that you can do to make others happier, and that is the surest way to attain happiness for yourself.—Exchange.

Man Eating Lions.

Of African lions Miss Kirkland in her book on Africa writes: "As a rule, it is only old lions which attack human beings. They grow too decrepit to be able to catch the more agile antelopes, which are their lawful prey; so, goaded by a hunger which age cannot wither or lessen, they pounce on unwary mortals."

Precocity.

"Every time the baby looks into my face he smiles," said Mr. Meekton.

"Well," answered his wife, "it may not be exactly polite, but it shows he has a sense of humor."—Exchange.

Hunger or Fame.

"It is a good thing to hunger for fame," remarked the struggling author.

"Yes," assented his friend the artist, "if you don't get the fame you are sure to get the hunger."—Chicago News.

A Trying Time.

"Colonel," asked the beautiful girl, "when was the most trying moment of your life?"

"It was when I went to my wife's father for the purpose of asking him to let me have her. He was very deaf and I had to explain the matter before twenty clerks."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Particular.

Patience—Peggy is terribly afraid of microbes.

Patrice—Funny she'll allow any of the young men to kiss her.

"Oh, she'll only kiss by telephone!"—Yonkers Statesman.

Oh!

"How did you act when he proposed?"

"I sank gracefully on one knee."

"How ridiculous! What in the world did you sink on your knee for?"

"On his knee, not mine."—Houston Post.

Quite a Difference.

Customer—Can't you give anything off to a clergyman? Tradesman—Not in this instance, sir. You see, these goods is different from yours. These is guaranteed goods.—Life.

Love, like fortune, turns upon a wheel and is very much given to rising and falling.—Vanbrugh.

PERSONAL.

Movements of the People in harleroi and Vicinity

Special sale ladies toilor made suits at Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Miss Alice Mallabone is a Pittsburg visitor today.

Boy's Clothing of the right sort and every suit new—visit this new department in Berryman's store, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Miss Erma Davis of Washington avenue is spending a few days in Pittsburg and McKeesport with friends.

That new Men's Clothing Department, full and complete, is nobby—every garment new, stylish and up-to-date—Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

A. H. Furlong is transacting business today in Pittsburg.

Ladies' Suits hit hard in our Anniversay Sale, Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gear of Washington avenue, a son.

Carpets and Rugs at Anniversary prices. Read the specials at Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Mrs. Edgar B. Walters and son, Llewellyn of Pittsburg returned home Tuesday after spending several days with relatives here.

Anniversary cut prices and you'll want them, get the circular, Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

High cost of living, knocked higher than a kite at our Anniversary Sale, Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Stetson Hats, and the Mallory Hat, cravenetted. Get them at Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

L. A. McVey is transacting business today in Brownsville.

We're from Missouri and are not only willing but anxious to show you Men'i Clothing. Every suit new, Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

John Jenkins of Washington avenue is spending the day in Uniontown, going there to attend the funeral of a brother-in-law.

Wash suits for little boys, ages 2 to 6 years and a lot to select from at Berryamn's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

William Hott, who has been confined to his home the past few days by illness is improving and expects to be out tomorrow.

Snappy young men's clothes, see them at Berryman's, Charleroi Pa. 208t3

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller of Meadville, who have been spending the past two weeks in Charleroi, the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mr. George S. Might of McKean avenue, left yesterday afternoon for their home, being accompanied by Mrs. Might who will visit in Meadville several days.

Boy's Suits, Boy's Caps, Boy's Underwear, Suspenders, Hosiery and Neckwear. Berryamn's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Come to our big Anniversary Sale. A bargain feast at Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Quite a Success.

Wife of the Professor—Charles, here is a telegram—an explosion in your laboratory and the place wrecked. Professor—Thank goodness! Then that experiment was a success, after all.—New York Journal.

Cause For Joy.

"Congratulations, old man! I suppose you're tickled to death because it's a boy."

"Yes; in a few years, now, I'll have an excuse for going to the circus."—Detroit Free Press.

Glaciers.

It has been demonstrated that the glacier does not move in one block, but flows, accommodating itself to the channel in which it moves. Professor Tyndall planted a row of sticks in a straight line across a glacier, and after a few days the line had become a crescent, with the concavity upward, showing that the middle of the glacier moved faster than the sides, just as in a river the stream is stronger in the center.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—New Piano. R. Dale Joliffe. 203tf

FOR RENT—Three room flat, gas, water and heat furnished. Apply Greenberg Bros. 6204tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 330 Washington avenue. 207t2

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John W. Hallam

Washington, Pa., April 16, 1910.

HER GREETING.

In Spite of the Old Lady's Care She Managed to Blunder.

The daughters of a certain charming old lady in Washington are frequently much upset by the odd social blunders of their parent, whose failings in this respect are, however, more than offset by her kindliness of manner.

Among the callers to the house of this family was a Mrs. Farrell, who, after some years of widowhood, again married, this time becoming the wife of a Mr. Meggs.

"If you love us, mother," said one of the girls when the newly married lady's card had been brought in one afternoon shortly after the completion of the honeymoon, "don't make the mistake of calling her Mrs. Farrell."

The mother solemnly promised to commit no faux pas and as she went downstairs was heard to repeat to herself, "Meggs—Meggs—Meggs—not Farrell."

At the conclusion of the call the old lady was met at the head of the stairs by the daughter, who at once observed an ominous expression of despondency on the old lady's face.

"Oh, mother," she exclaimed, "surely you didn't"—

"No, Clara," replied the mother emphatically, "I didn't. I was so careful to call her Mrs. Meggs all the time."

"Well, what's the trouble, then?"

"Oh, dear!" murmured the kindly old lady, as she sank into a chair. "It was awful of me, I know! When I greeted her I said: 'I am glad to see you, Mrs. Meggs. How is Mr. Farrell?'"—Harper's Weekly.

Rainbow Upside Down.

Not very many persons have ever seen an inverted rainbow, although the phenomenon sometimes appears At the Italian geodynamic observatory of Rocca de Papa not long ago the director and a party of visitors were fortunate enough to see one. The morning was showery, and as the party looked down from an elevation of 2,300 fe they saw in the Campagna a perfect rainbow with its concave side up the middle point bearing to the northeast. From the Eiffel tower in Paris one has also been seen, in this case the rainbow being double and extending above and below the horizon to form two concentric circles nearly complete. Generally the inverted rainbow is to be seen only in the mountains and then very rarely. The phenomenon, of course, is due merely to the position of the observer which must be above the refracting agent instead of below.—Pathfinder.

An Old Ash Wednesday Custom.

At one time it was on Ash Wednesday the custom to appoint an official of the English palaces to crow the hours of the day, like a cock, as a reminder of the denial of St. Peter. This practice excited the furious indignation of George II. His ignorance of English made it very difficult for the courtiers to explain that the royal cock crower was not making fun of him. The cock crower was a salaried officer at the English court as late as 1823.

He Followed Directions.

Red tape leads one to curious lengths. A writer in the Columbus Dispatch tells of a street railway car that picked up a young heifer on its fender and carried it some distance through the street.

In making out the required report to the superintendent the employee wrote in answer to the query on the blank form, "What did the victim say?" "She was carried along on the fender and then rolled off and ran away without saying a word."

The Colossus of Rhodes.

The gigantic Colossus of Rhodes was one of the seven wonders of the world. It was erected in honor of the sun by Charles of Lindus, a disciple of Lysippus, and was thrown down by an earthquake about 224 B. C.

The figure stood upon two moles, a leg extended on each side of the harbor. A winding staircase led to the top of the figure, from out of the eyes of which were visible the coast of Syria and the ships sailing on the coast of Egypt. The colossi were the peculiar characteristic of eastern art and were of common occurrence, many of them being over sixty feet in height. The most celebrated is the statue of Memnos, on the plain of Thebes, described by the historian Strabo.

Foresight.

Little George, who was four years old, had been told many Bible stories. Among them was the story of the flood and the building of the ark by Noah. One day a storm threatened. The clouds grew darker, the wind arose, and suddenly the rain began to fall.

"Auntie," said George, "do you think it is going to storm?"

"Yes, I think it will," was the reply.

"Do you think it will be a hail storm?" asked the little fellow.

"Yes, I think it will be a hard storm," the aunt replied.

"Well, don't you think some of us had better begin building an ark?" he asked.—Los Angeles Times.

Making Hubby Appreciative.

A doctor tells of a note he received from a woman saying that her husband, who was about to make him a professional call, found constant fault with the dinner she prepared for him. She appealed to the physician for aid. The doctor examined his patient, who had a slight attack of indigestion, and told him to cut out luncheons, to eat nothing but a slice of toast and a cup of tea. The scheme worked excellently. Of course hubby returns home in the evening, eats everything in sight and votes his wife's cooking even better than mother used to make.—Boston Record.

An Independent Miller.

When Frederick built his famous palace of Sans Souci there happened to be a mill that greatly hampered him in the execution of his plans, and he asked the miller for how much he would sell it. The miller replied that for a long series of years his family had owned the mill, which had passed from father to son, and that he would not sell it for any price. The king used every solicitation, offered to build him a mill in a better place and pay him, besides, any sum he might demand, but the obstinate miller still persisted in his determination to preserve the inheritance of his ancestors.

Irritated at last by his conduct, the king sent for him and said in an angry tone:

"Why do you refuse to sell your mill notwithstanding all the advantages I have offered you?"

A Slight Difference.

Uncle Bob, who lived in Washington and worked at the war department, was at the old home for a few days. Little Ted was a devout worshiper and tagged about after his uncle all day long, listening to him and asking questions. Finally he delivered himself of an important matter.

"Uncle Bob," he said, "do you ever see the president in Washington?"

"Oh, yes; often. I see him nearly every day."

"Uncle Bob," asked Ted solemnly, after careful thought, "does the president see you?"—Woman's Home Companion.

Called His Papa Down.

Little Willy is a bright boy and a saucy boy. His apt answers have often turned away wrath and often turned it upon him strongly. The other day his father was reprimanding him for some misdeed, and Willy was answering very saucily. The father became very angry and, seizing the youngster by the collar, said: "See here, young man, you must not talk like that to me. I never gave my father impudence when I was a boy." Willy was not feazed at all. With a cherubic smile he looked into papa's eyes and said, "But, papa, maybe your father didn't need it." 'Twas all off. Willy escaped punishment, while papa retired to another room.

Curious Old Laws.

Some of the old laws of Nepal, India, were curious. Killing cows ranked with murder as a capital offense, for instance. Every girl at birth was married with great ceremony to a betel fruit, which was then cast into a sacred stream. As the fate of the fruit was uncertain the girl was supposed never to become a widow. To obtain divorce from a husband a wife had only to place a betel nut under his pillow and depart. In Nepal the day is considered to begin when it is light enough to count the tiles on the roof or distinguish the hairs on a man's hand against the sky.

In Doubt.

Hairdresser (while giving lady a vigorous shampoo)—Will you have anything on your head when I am finished, madam? She—I am sure I don't know. I was in hopes you would leave enough hair to pin my hat to.

Very Convenient.

Caretaker (to prospective tenant)—Yes, this 'ouse is most conveniently situated. There's a music 'all close and 'andy, and there's a pub just over the way, and a pawnbroker's round the corner.—London Tit-Bits.

When a king creates an office Providence at once creates a fool to buy it.—Colbert.

Anchored Him.

"I was at a reception with a certain young lady the other night," said a man who always tells the truth, "and her father was there too. He doesn't think much of me, and he followed us about from room to room—wouldn't let us get out of his sight for a minute. Well, I knew the old man was an awful tight wad, so I thought up a scheme. I carelessly dropped a half dollar on the floor while he was looking. He moved over and put his foot on it and never stirred until the party broke up. Meanwhile daughter and I beat it and enjoyed ourselves."—Cleveland Leader.

Not Particular.

Mme. Calve at a ladies' luncheon was condoned by an elderly spinster on the ground that a laudatory article about her had not been very subtle or discriminating.

"I know well," said the spinster, smiling behind her glittering spectacles, "that only discriminating praise counts as praise with you."

"Don't talk about discriminating praise," answered Mme. Calve. "Fulsome flattery is good enough for me."—Washington Star.

Absorbing.

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THE LIFE OF "HOP" ANDERSON

Candidate For State Senate Comes From Noted Family. Has Achieved Things.

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A. H. Anderson, Esq., the Republican candidate for State Senator, was born in the house where he now resides in Peters township, Washington county, Pennsylvania, and is widely known through this section of the county and Western Pennsylvania. He is a son of the late Dr. D. M. Anderson and Charity S. (Wright) Anderson. His father was a well known physician and surgeon and later a prominent coal operator and was the sole owner of the Anderson mine at Anderson Station, B. and O. railroad. He was prominent in politics and served sevreal terms in the Legislature. His ancestors were Scotch-Irish and came from the Clan Campbell of Scotland.

His father, Dr. D. M. Anderson, was born in Beaver county. While quite young he went with his father and brother to California in the early days of the gold excitement. He spent about five years there in the gold mines and in farming, and afterwards went to Chile, South America, where he was general manager of a flouring mill, owned by an English syndicate. He returned to America at the opening of the Civil war and served as an active medical cadet at Camp Curtain, Harrsburg. He afterwards took a course of lectures in medicine at Ann Arbor, Michigan, and was commissioned as Assistant Surgeon of the 12th Regiment of U. S. colored troop, and served until the close of hostilities. Among the engagements in which he participated was the battle of Nashville when the colored troops, to which he was attached, were ordered to charge Overton Hill. In thirty minutes they lost over 25 per cent of their men in killed and wounded, one of the greatest losses that ever took place in that short space of time, of any battle in the history of the world. It was impossible to provide men for litter bearers with so heavy a loss and so he left the dressing station and went to the firing line where he attended to the wounded.

As an employer of labor, he gained quite a reputation for fair treatment of his men. When he started in the coal business, it was the custom to pay monthly, and hold back two weeks on hand, so it was possible to work for six weeks without receiving any pay. He established a system before unheard of, of paying the men every week. He was material in passing the semi-monthly pay day and it as through his influence with the Pittsburg Coal Association that the operators did not at that time resist is passage.

Mr. Anderson attended the public schools of Peters township when a boy and developed that nervy resistance which has since characterized him by not missing a single day in six years, not withstanding that he was obliged to walk a distance of two miles each day. He then entered Trinity Hall, Washington, Pa., and in four years finished his course there and spent his summer vacations at home working on the farm and on the engineer corps of the B. and O. R. R.

He then entered Trinity college, Hartford, Conn., where he was graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Arts, at the same time doing newspaper work on the Hartford Telegram.

In college he was managing editor of the Trinity Ivy, the college annual and played on his class baseball team. He has always been a great baseball enthusiast and organized and played with the Venetia baseball team which was for several years one of the best in the county.

During the first three years following his graduation he helped his father in the various lines of work connected with the Anderson mines traveling a part of the time and gaining knowledge of business and of men that has proved of great value to him. He then began to study law, reading for a time in the office of John McCleave of Pittsburg. Sometime later he entered the Columbia Law school in New York City. About half of his first year was spent in St. Luke's Hospital as a typhoid fever patient. The next year was a very busy one, as his illness of the preceeding entailed almost double work. He finished the three years' course with his class and was graduated as Bachelor of Law. In the same year his Alma Mater, Trinity college, conferred on him the degree of Master of Arts. He was then admitted to the practice of the law.

In the years that have since elapsed he has built up a reputation for ability and integrity that might be envied by many an older man. As a student his aim has been to study the law not only as it was and is, but as it should be.

He served two years as marshall of the Allegheny County Bar Association. Although he does not appear frequently in Court in the trial cases, yet he has been engaged in some very important litigation and obtained favorable decision in courts of Allegheny county on a collateral inheritance tax case, in the face of a line of decisions in such cases, which are generally decided in favor of the Commonwealth. His practice has been confined chiefly to the settlement of estates in the Orphans Courts and as counsel to corporations and general business affairs.

In 1898 he surprised his friends by enlisting in the famous Tenth Regiment, going as a recruit with Col. Jas. E. Barnett. He served in the San Francisco and Honolulu camps and joined the regiment at Manila. He went out with his company in the Philippine isurrection and remained on the firing line till the regiment was relieved after the Malolos campaign. At this time his health was very much affected by the tropical climate and although he was greatly reduced in weight and was in a serious condition he refused to leave the fighting line until the regiment was relieved. His popularity among his comrades has been shown by his election as thier president, the only private who has ever been elected to that position.

During his career Mr. Anderson has been closely connected with many successful enterprises. The organizing of the First National Bank of Finleyville was in a great measure due to his efforts This bank has been successful and Mr. Anderson has been a member of its Board of Directory and its solicitor ever since its organization, and is now its president.

He is vice-president of the First National Bank of Castle Shannon and also of the Castle Shannon Savings and Trust Company.

In addition to his connection with these institutions Mr. Anderson has a large experience in the management and settling of estates and is much consulted in the matter of investments. His experience in business matters, his legal training, his financial connections make him a most valued member of corporate boards and he is consequently much sought after to fill such positions. He believes that the smaller business man and the farmer should have the privileges and protection of corporate organizations as well as the heavy capitalists, and in his legal practice he has taken out many charters. Among the boards in which he has been or is now a director are the following: Pittsburg and Castle Shannon Railroad company. The Bethel Telephone company. The Finleyville Southern Street Railway company, The Finleyville Cemetery company, The Excelsior Oil and Gas Company, The Pittsburg Casualty Company, and the banking institutions above named.

Apart from his business association, Mr. Anderson is unusally prominent in social and military organization. He is a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, and one of the board of managers of the State Society; a member of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, the Sons of Veterns, the Army of the Cumberland, the Army of the Philippines, having been president of Camp Malate. He is Junior Vice Commander of the Army of the Philippines and was Chairman of the Convention lately held in Pittsburg. He is well known throughout the Society, having attended many conventions.

He has always taken a very active interest in politics and ever since he became a voter, has participated actively in primaries, has been a regular attendant at theconventions and at the meetings of the county committee. He was chairman of his precinct for five years and always did his share in contributing to Republican victories. After the primaries in 1898, when there had been a great overturning in the politics of the county, he was selected by the candidates nominated to act as County Chairman, and while opposed by a certain element in the party, he won by a vote of over five to one. While quite a number of the defeated candidates bolted the ticket, and owing to the fact that many mills, factories and mines were closed down and there was widespread the dissatisfaction against the party candidates, the Republican ticket pulled through with almost its usual majority and the legislative ticket, against which a bitter fight had been waged was only a few hundred votes behind the county commissioners against whom no fight had been waged. Those opposed to the ticket admitted that it had been a very clean campaign, significant of the fact that a new order of things had been inaugurated.

Prior to the nomination in 1906 for State Senator from the 46th district, when composed of Washington and Beaver Counties, Mr. Anderson had been selected by many of the leading Republicans to be their candidate for the State Senate, and as the nomination had gone to Beaver county the last time, it was generally conceded that the nomination would come to Washington county. However the Legislative Session of 1906 passed an apportionment bill, which put Washington and Greene counties together. Mr. Anderson still remained in the field and it looked as though he would receive the unanimous support of his county. However, the Hon. John M. Berry, for two terms a member of the Legislature and a prominent and well known man throughout the county, was announced and being a very strong candidate it was thought he would be a very close race. At the convention, however, it was found that Mr. Anderson's vote exceeded Mr. Berry's almost three to one, and his popularity was shown more than ever by defeating such a strong candidate.

Greene county also had a contest between the Hon. D. S. Walton and Hon. J. P. Teagarden, which resulted in a victory for the former. The nomination that lay between the two counties and Mr. Anderson throughout the entire negotiations was fair and just to Greene county, for as he had been delegated full power to make the rules, he agreed that Greene county should have equal representation. The two conferences were held, after which it was decided that the matter would have to be settled by the state Committee. When the matter was put to the State Committee, a plea was made for Greene county, that under the popular vote they could never again receive this honor. W. S. Parker was appointed Referee and he voted in favor of the Greene county cadidate, Senator Walton. This matter created a great deal of dissatisfaction throughout the county of Washington, but Mr. Anderson immediately placed himself at the disposal of the County Committee and did everything in his power to help the ticket and worked faithfully throughout the campaign. Today his candidacy has a particular significance. It appeals to those who have always been identified with the party and who do not believe in irregularity, because he has at all times and in all places supported the ticket, even under the most trying and discouraging circumstances.

Having been born and raised in the county and one of those who did not leave the farm but still lives there, he and his family are the owners of one of the largest bodies of land in the county. It is not probable that the farmer would suffer or be at any disadvantage at his hands. Being in close contact with laboring men all his life, living among them and personally known to thousands of them who can attest to his fair dealing and honesty of purpose, it is not probable that they themselves could have selected a representative more acceptable to the majority of them than is Mr. Anderson. His education as an attorney also stands him in good play because a great deal of our legislation has been declared unconstitutional, not so much on account of the spirit as the form of the bill, and his knowledge and training in constitutional law will be very valuable to a Senator, particularly since Washington county has not been represented by a lawyer for many years. The legislative body should not be made up of lawyers exclusively, but should be represented by some of them.

His candidacy appeals also to the business men and those interested in financial institutions, as he has had long and wide experience in his connection and official capacity with them.

Being the son of a old soldier and a veteran of the Spanish American War, his candidacy is particularly acceptable to the young and old veterans alike. In short, his life training and work seem all to have tended to fit him particularly for this important and highly honorable office.

A. H. Anderson, Candidate for State Senator.

Nietzsche and the Invalid.

An invalid lady who often met Nietzsche found him the gentlest, kindest and most sympathetic of men. He "implored her with tears in his eyes not to read his books." Such was his knowledge of women that he was thunderstruck to find shortly afterward that the lady at once proceeded to read them all. He was further stupefied by the discovery that, having read them, she was utterly unmoved by the philosopher's unanswerable demonstrations that feeble persons like herself had no right to live and that women were distinguished by this, that and the other objectionable attribute. It must have been a blow to him.—London News.

The Use of Iron.

Iron has been known to men for a very long time. In the time of the Assyrians it was extensively used, iron saws, knives and other tools having been found by Layard at Nineveh. Homer refers to the forging of iron, while the hardening and tempering of steel appear to have been operations in common use among the early Greeks. The employment of a kind of bellows for the forging of tools, presumably of iron, figures in Egyptian sculpture of 1500 B. C. Cast iron appears to have been discovered about 350 B. C. Through the agency of the Romans the manufacture of iron was introduced all over the then known world and into those regions where it had not been previously known.—New York American

Cemetery of 4,000 Dogs.

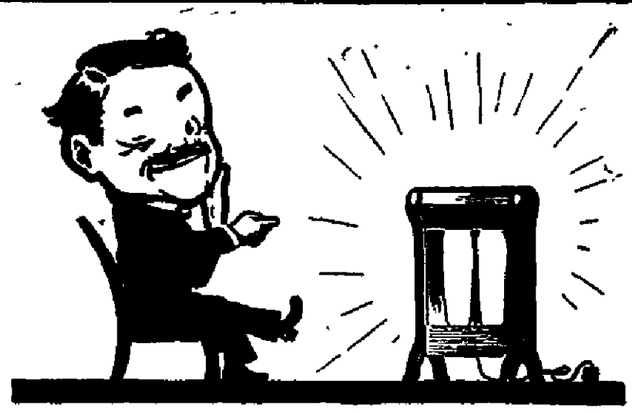
A beautiful dog cemetery was founded on the Ile des Ravageurs, near Paris, in 1899. There are already 4,000 "graves" in the cemetery. Some of them, leased for a long term, have cost as much as 2,000 francs. The lowest price paid for any concession is 5 francs, and the expenses of the most discreet burial are 25 francs. Visitors to the cemetery pay 50 centimes as an entrance fee. On one of the tombstones they may read, "Homage to a faithful heart," and on another, "Here lies Black, killed by a civilized savage." The above victim, explains the keeper, died at the hands of an indignant concierge. Another marble slab mounted on cement rock contains the following: "Neither name nor date; what matters it?" And again, "Beneath these stones reside the material remains of that which during its life was my joy and my consolation."

The Chauffeur's Rebuke.

An elderly colonel in a New York club is very inquisitive, and there is no question he hesitates to ask. The other day he saw drawn up before a hotel a fine motor car, and at the wheel of the car sat a chauffeur who had formerly been in his own employ. The colonel stopped and asked the chauffeur who his master was, how he liked his job and what wages he drew. The chauffeur answered these questions politely. There was a cold glitter in his eye, though. He was waiting for an opening. It came when the inquisitive old clubman said:

"Er—Gaston, what—er—how much did your employer pay for this car?"

"The fact is, sir," the chauffeur answered promptly, "I never had the impudence to ask him."



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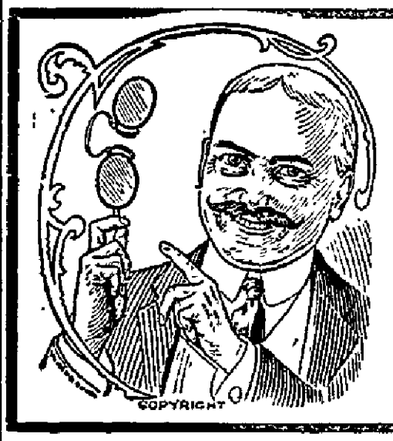

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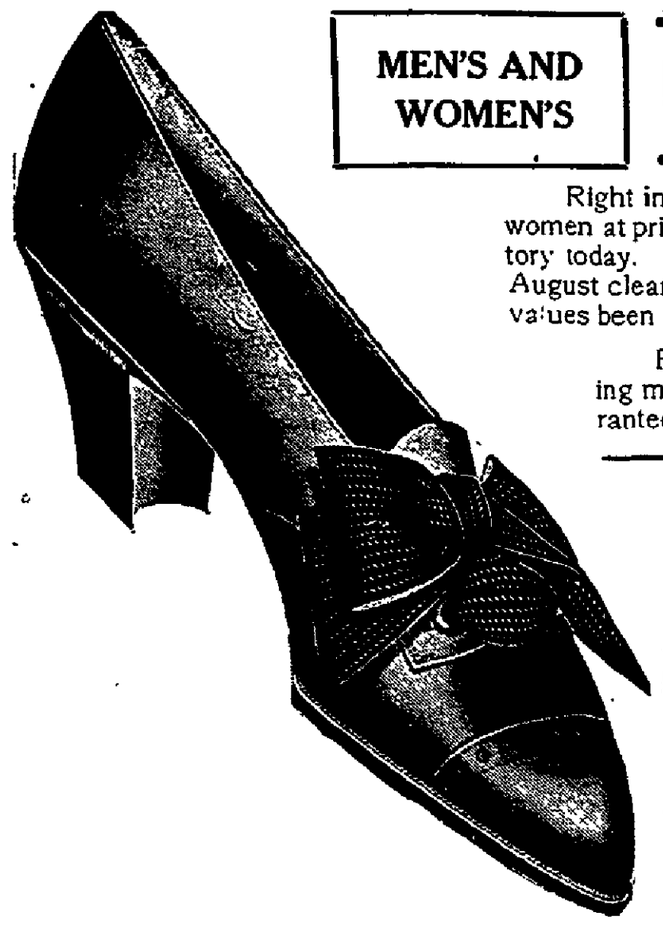

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Three hundred pairs of the famous D. Armstrong company make women's finest handmade white duck sample oxfords, $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 grades, special this sale per pair..... **$1.50**

392 pairs of ladies' bronze oxfords, worth not less than $4, all sizes and widths, our special sale..... **$1.69**

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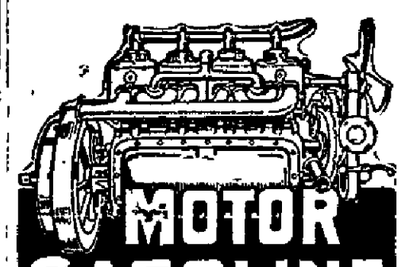

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Of What Use Is It?

Thousands? yes hundreds of thousands of people throughout America are taking the slow death treatment daily.

They are murdering their own stomach, the best friend they have and in their sublime ignorance they think they are putting aside the laws of nature.

This is no sensational statement; it is a startling fact, the truth of which any honorable physician will not deny.

These thousands of people are swallowing daily huge quantities of pepsin and other strong digesters made especially to digest the food in the stomach without any aid at all from the digestive membrane of the stomach.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets relieve distressed stomach in five minutes; they do more. Taken regularly for a few weeks they build up the run down stomach and make it strong enough to digest its own food. Then indigestion, belching, sour stomach and headache will go.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets are sold by druggists everywhere and by Piper Bros. who guarantees them. 50 cents a box.

Booth's Pills cure constipation, 25c. 8

A Little Bunch of "Daisies."

Four charming young ladies all walked abreast, strolled down Euclid avenue, stylishly dressed; and they looked neither left, nor they looked to the right, while each masculine eye followed them out of sight. And as briskly they stepped on their way down the street, they said many things, one of which we'll repeat. That was: "That Chi-Namel at house-cleaning time, helped the ladies to keep all their homes looking fine." Those who have used Chi-Namel once will never accept other varnish. The first brushful convinces them it is different. It flows out so smooth—requires little brushing—and best of, all, stands the hard knocks well. Stains and varnishes at one application. All colors at our store. Sold by T. P. Grant. 18

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Brick Ice Cream is the most satisfactory way of serving it. Always on hand at Wagner's 1961

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Short weight is bad for the buyer but not so bad as full weight and adulterants—espceially in varnish.

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T. P. Grant will be glad to give you an estimate on my pure varnish for your new house and save you money in the long run.

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IN HIGH ALTITUDES.

The Most Common Ways in Which the Heart Is Affected.

Dr. I. N. Hall, writing in the American Journal of the Medical Sciences, says that the dangers to the heart in high altitudes are the same as in other places, but are greatly exaggerated in some directions. The troubles most common and serious, he says, relate to inflammation of the heart muscle, hardening of the arteries and dilation of the heart.

The principle applied is this: The heart and lungs have an increase of functional work with each added degree of elevation and the consequent decrease in atmospheric pressure. To meet the increased demand on the circulation the heart must enlarge if the usual amount of exercise is taken. It is not unusual for acute dilation of the heart to occur after slight effort on the part of those whose arteries have begun to harden and who long have been accustomed to atmospheric pressure at the sea level. The trouble with those who suffer in high altitude, the writer declares, is that they try to do too much at first when they feel invigorated by the bracing atmosphere.

Dr. Hall adds that even an ascent in a railway train may be fatal to those who have but a narrow margin of heart strength, or the slightest exertion at such a time may produce angina pectoris. The average case of well compensated valvular disease will do as well at a high altitude as anywhere else if the patient observes proper precautions. In such a climate he is less susceptible to acute rheumatism.

THE SAWMILL'S BOOKS.

They Needed Not an Auditor, but a Mathematical Carpenter.

Biffkins froze me with a stare. "I remember," he went on, calmly ignoring my interruption, "one time when I was hired to keep books for a sawmill way up north. 'Twas six days by log wagon from ever' place except in' the infernal regions, the same bein' a quarter of a mile away, straight down. The durned simpleton they sent down to Nigger Wool settlement after me had so much business with a roulette dealer that he forgot to tell me to get some office supplies, so when we got to camp I found that the principal equipment of my palatial 6 by 8 business apartment consisted of three lumber crayons, slightly shop worn, and a last year's almanac. I got some smooth pine boards and kept my books on them with chalk."

"How did it work" I asked, interested in spite of myself.

"Like a charm," grinned Biffkins, "until the foreman of gang 1 got on a drunk one night an' slept in the office an' used up fourteen pages of the general ledger fer kindlin' wood the next mornin'. The company sent up an auditor to check over my books, but he went back plumb disgusted. Told 'em they didn't need an auditor—what they wanted was a carpenter who was handy at figgers. An' that reminds me"— —Bookkeeper.

Transparent Rhubarb.

To be made day before using. Cut rhubarb into pieces one-half inch long. Spread on plates and sprinkle with sugar, allowing one-half cupful of sugar to each cupful of fruit. Let all stand overnight. In the morning pour off the juice and boil for ten minutes, drop in the rhubarb, a small portion at a time, and cook until tender. Remove from the sirup as soon as done to preserve shape. Put in a pretty dish.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Underweight.

Brown—That coal dealer of ours got just what was coming to him. Town—How? Brown—Married a girl the other day, thinking that he was getting 140 pounds and got only 98.—St. Louis Times.

Corroded by Water.

In a German village an underground lead water pipe was found greatly corroded and perforated. Investigation showed that the soil in which the pipe had lain was permeated by very impure water and consequently contained large quantities of ammonia, ammonium nitrate and other compounds, which had attacked the lead pipe, forming lead carbonate, nitrate, nitrite and chloride. All of these lead salts, except the carbonate, are more or less soluble in water. The carbonate is insoluble in pure water, but is soluble in water containing carbon dioxide. Iron pipes coated with asphalt should be employed for underground conduits. If lead pipes are used they should be imbedded in asphalt.—Scientific American.

Mrs. Pankhurst to Come Here.

To add to the excitement of the war for and against votes for women which is to be waged in New York next winter word has just come from England by cable to Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch that the redoubtable Mrs. Pankhurst, originator of the suffragette movement in England and leader of its most militant branch, will visit America at that time. She will do so, that is, if she is not sent to jail first. She is at present involved in a lawsuit as to the right of a subject to petition the premier in person, and her friends expect her to go to jail in the end, but they hope that she will manage to get to America first.

Mrs. Pankhurst will remain in the country six or seven weeks, and while in New York her engagements will be managed by the League of Self Supporting Women, of which Mrs. Blatch is president. Among other things there will be a Carnegie hall meeting in her honor.

"ORAN AMOK!"

The Bloodthirsty Malay When He Is Maddened by Frenzy.

"Amok" is a religious fanaticism, a madness under which a man makes up his mind to kill any one he can until he himself is killed. Brought on by drink or religion or from whatever cause, the process is the same. The madman seizes his creese and rushes headlong down the street, cutting at every one he meets. To any one who has seen a creese or a parang further detail is unnecessary.

A man running amok is as a dog with hydrophobia, but the panic caused by the former is by far the worse. Like the mad dog, the madman is followed by a noisy rabble, who sooner or later run into their man and exterminate him. When this vengeful rabble is made up of bloodthirsty Malays and Chinamen its wild rage and fury are beyond control, beyond description. The clamor and bloodcurdling yells of the pursuing crowd and the ever nearing shout of "Oran amok, oran amok!" are incidents which can never be forgotten by any one who has seen or heard them. The bravest quails when suddenly turning the corner of a street his ears are greeted with the cry of "Oran amok!" and a few yards off he sees a Malay running straight at him, brandishing in his hand the bloody creese with which he has already slaughtered all in his way.—London Chronicle

Authors Favor Suffrage.

It is very evident that suffrage is in favor among the best known authors of America, men and women, from the list of names on the national petition for woman suffrage, which includes Mark Twain, William Dean Howells, Sarah Orne Jewett, Frances Hodgson Burnett, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps Ward, Booth Tarkington, Julia Ward Howe, Charlotte Perkins Gilman, Alice Brown, General Charles King, Eliza Calvert Hall, Dorothy Dix, Olive Tilford Dargan, Florence Morse Kingsley, Helen Campbell, Ernest Harold Baynes, Frederick A. Ober, Marietta Holley, James Lane Allen, Charles Battell Loomis, Ernest Thompson Seton, Grace Gallatin Thompson Seton, David Graham Phillips, Louise Imogen Guiney, Edith Sessions Tupper, Brand Whitlock, Agnes C. Laut, Edward S. Ellis, Lida A. Churchill, Hamlin Garland, Professor Edward Howard Griggs, Anna Randall Diehl, Julian Hawthorne, Charles Edward Russell, Frederic C. Howe, W. H. Ghent, Robert Hunter and Jane Addams.

The Mistake He Made.

He sauntered into the central police station and approached the desk sergeant. There was a careworn look on his face. He stood there a moment as if in reverie. Finally as tears coursed down his cheeks he timidly said:

"I want to give myself up."

"What have you done that you should seek a felon's cell?" the sergeant asked.

"I have long been a fugitive from justice. The welfare of society demands that I should be punished."

"But what is it? What heinous offense have you committed?"

"I am a bigamist—yes, a polygamist—and I don't dare think what worse. No longer must I keep it from the world. Lock me up. I am ready to do penance."

"But will you not explain?"

"Yes, if you insist. I thought I married only the daughter, but I have found, to my sorrow, that the whole family was included."—Kansas City Independent.

As a Corollary.

"Are marriages made in heaven?"

"As to that I can't say, but I do know this much."

"What's that, Peleg?"

"There's lots of courting done in church."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Didn't Get a Chance.

She—What did papa say when you asked him for my hand?

He—Why, he couldn't say a word.

"He couldn't?"

"No; your mother was there!"—Yonkers Statesman.

Ham With Jelly.

Melt in a saucepan a large tablespoonful of butter and half a glass of currant or other acid jelly. Shake in a little pepper and when hot lay in four or five small thin slices of boiled, cold ham. Let it boil up once and serve quickly on toast.—Boston Post.

Too Much.

Doctor—Now, there is a very simple remedy for this—er—this—er—recurring thirst. Whenever you feel you want a whisky and soda, just eat an apple—eat an apple. Patient—But—er—fancy eating fifty or sixty apples a day!—London Punch.

Sterilized.

"Have you," inquired the city visitor, "a moss covered bucket about the place?"

"No, sir," answered the farmer. "All our utensils are sterilized and strictly sanitary"—Kansas City Journal.

Useless Worry.

It frequently happens that a woman worries a great deal over the question of calling on another woman who does not care in the least whether she calls or not.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Folly is never long pleased with itself.—German Proverb.

Not.

"Shall we marry, darling, or shall we not?" was the short and witty line an ardent lover dispatched to the idol of his heart.

But, where the strangeness of the matter comes in, the girl replied: "I shall not. You may do as you please."

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? We can furnish positive proof that it has made many remarkable cures after all other means had failed.

Women who are suffering with some form of female illness should consider this.

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Evidence like the above is abundant showing that the derangements of the female organism which breed all kinds of miserable feelings and which ordinary practice does not cure, are the very disorders that give way to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Women who are afflicted with similar troubles, after reading two such letters as the above, should be encouraged to try this wonderfully helpful remedy.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No sick woman does justice to herself who will not try this famous medicine. Made exclusively from roots and herbs, and has thousands of cures to its credit.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health free of charge. Address Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

Losing Ground?

Sanitaria Seemingly Fail to Check the Terrible White Plague. Enormous Sums Spent.

The recent report of the Penna. State Board of Health reveals the startling condition that despite all the efforts being made by advocates of fresh air and egg-and-milk-gorging treatments, the number of new cases has not been noticeably decreased.

This report applies to Sanitarium treatment. It does not take into account the tubercular cases cured by Eckman's Alterative—when the disease was in an advanced as well as early state. The Sanitarium treatment has only benefited temporarily, while Eckman's Alterative has cured.

Write to any sanitarium and ask them to refer you to even five or ten cured cases—not those temporarily benefited: but people who had tuberculosis and are today in perfect health. At the same time write to the Eckman Laboratory, 6th & Market Sts., Phila., and ask them to refer you to Clergymen, Priests, men and women who took Eckman's Alterative and are today well and strong without a trace of tuberculosis—pronounced so by physicians. Some of them took the Alterative 11 years ago when doctors said they would not live 11 weeks.

Could anything be fairer to yourself and those who love you and would do anything to restore you to health? If you are skeptical—investigate us, our medicine, our advertised statements. Write, if you will, to those who have sent in affidavits and testimonials telling how Eckman's Alterative cured them.

Eckman's Alterative is good for all Throat and Lung troubles, and is on sale in Charleroi by W. F. Hennings and other druggists. It can also be obtained at, or procured by, your local druggist. Ask for Booklet of Cured Cases or write for evidence to the Eckman Laboratory, Phila., Pa.

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But it's not the children—it's your head
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Picture Made by a Cave Man Millions of Years Ago.

Long ago, so long that even a scientist would hardly dare venture a guess as to the date, a man clad with only a wild beast's skin about his loins was sitting at the mouth of a cave in one of the rocky highlands in what is now southern France. He was scratching with a sharp flint on the fragments of an ivory tusk, perhaps picturing for some youthful admirers adventures through which he had passed or animals he had slain. That ivory chip was stored away as a treasure, to be lost and forgotten after the cave man's death. One day a man named Lartet, digging in the cavern floor, found it. On it was scratched a very fair representation of the hairy elephant, probably at once the oldest picture and the oldest human record in existence.

We know the cave man was a faithful workman, for the melting ice fields of Siberia have yielded a perfect specimen of this extinct mammal, and the paleolithic picture is a true copy. Not only has this ancient sculptor given us a sample of the earliest art, but he has left us more valuable than all, a historical record of his time, for this rude picture is simply a page from the cave man's history which, translated into twentieth century English, says, "Men thinking men were contemporaneous with the hairy elephant."

No record that any of humankind have ever left is half so ancient as this. The oldest Egyptian papyrus is a thing of yesterday compared to this paleolithic sculpture. While the cave man was living in Europe the valley of the Nile was yet only a wild waste. Egypt was not yet Egypt, and civilization as we know it had scarcely made a beginning.—Lippincott's.

THE NUMBER THIRTEEN.

Time Was When It Used to Be Considered Lucky.

Abstract science has done much in brushing away the cobwebs of popular superstition, and abstract science establishes the fact that thirteen in ancient times had quite a different meaning from the thirteen of today. Oriental people found in thirteen something divine and hence something good. Thus it is in the folklore of the Persians, the Indians and Hindoos.

Old Testament Jews were of the same opinion, as Biblical students well know. Thirteen cities were especially dedicated to the priestly tribe; thirteen high priests descended from Aaron; thirteen kings sat in the high council of the ancients; on the 13th day of the month Nisan the preparations for Passover began, and the holy incense consisted of thirteen different odors.

It is well known that all the nations of the old world were in more or less intellectual rapport. The ideas of one tribe descended to the other. But it is certainly interesting to learn that the figure 13 had its sacred and divine meaning also in America, of yore among the long since extinct tribes of the Incas and the Aztecs. The inhabitants of Peru counted seven days without any particular name in the week. Their year had seven times fifty-two days, or four times thirteen weeks. The father was compelled to support his illegitimate child to the thirteenth year. The Aztecs had weeks of thirteen days, each with a special name. Their century had fifty-two years, or four times thirteen. Their public archives were of circular form, with a sun in the center of each of the thirteen parts, and thirteen were their tribes.

Polishing a Diamond.

The polishing of a diamond is a very slow process, because of the great hardness of the material; besides this, the work must be frequently interrupted to allow the disk to cool out after it has become overheated by friction. Each time a new facet is to be cut the diamond must be removed from the dop and reset at another angle, and the diamond cutter trusts to his eye alone to guide him in this delicate adjustment, although in the case of very small diamonds a magnifying glass is necessary. The skill shown in placing the stone in the heated metal, sometimes with the bare hand, is surprising. The regular brilliant has fifty-six facets, besides the table and the collet—thirty-two above the girdle and twenty-four below—but as eight facets are first formed, both above and below, each of these being recut into three or four smaller ones, there are considerably more than fifty-six separate surfaces to be cut.—Dr. George F. Kunz in Century.

Premonition.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is the meaning of premonition?

Pa—Premonition, my son, is what ails people who are afflicted with the "I told you so" habit.—Chicago News

A Sacrifice.

Fat Man—What! Are you going to let this small boy shave me? Barber—Let the boy have his fun for once. It is his birthday, sir.—Fliegende Blatter.

A scar nobly got is a good livery of honor.—Shakespeare.

Hindsight.

"I made enough money in Wall street last week to buy a house and lot."

"Did you buy it?"

"Well, no; but I wish I had."—New York Herald.

Why She Did It.

"Why is it," they asked, "that you let your husband have his own way in everything?"

"Because," she replied, "I like to have some one to blame when things go wrong."

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LOVING CUP OFFERED AS PRIZE FOR WINNERS OF COMPETITIVE DRILL

Arrangements Are Nearly Perfected for Affair To Be Held at Charleroi Ball Park May 6.

The arrangements for the competition drill between the Monongahela and Monessen Cadets and the Charleroi Boys Brigade that is to take place in the Ball Park in Charleroi May 6, between the hours of 5 and 7 are almost completed and those having the matter in charge have the assurance that Colonel Coulter of Greensburg and staff will be here on that date to act as judges. A silver loving cup will be presented the winners by the three banking houses of Charleroi, the First National, the Bank of Charleroi and the Charleroi Savings and Trust company, is now on display in the window of J. W. McKean's jewelry store. This cup is a thing of beauty and of the very latest type, and engraved with the names of the banks, with plenty of space left for the names of the brigade lucky enough to win it. In order for any brigade to own the cup, however, it will have to be won more than once, as it must be contested for three times. There is also a prize of $10 in gold to be given the winner besides a supper to all the boys who take part, which will be served after the contest is over.

From reports the boys in all three towns are going in this contest in dead earnest, for they are drilling every night, and if the weather is good the town will be crowded with the boys and their friends from all along the river. This contest is the outcome of the one between Charleroi and Monongahela given here April 1, which caused so much interest. At that time, although both brigades did very well, they claim they were not at their best, and asked for another chance to demonstrate what they coould do, after a little practice, so May 6 was decided upon

Everybody is invited, and no charge will be made to the grounds, but the grand stand will be reserved for ladies. The committe has requested the J. A. Wood band to give a concert on that night, also the new Italian band that gave the concert one night last week on the streets, which was so much appreciated by those who were lucky enough to hear it.

COMMITTE ARRANGING FOUR-YEAR SCHEDULE FOR NORMAL SCHOOLS

California Normal in the New Arrangement to Add Another Year to the Present Course.

STUDENTS TO GRADUATE IN 1911 ARE NOT PLEASED

The Southwestern State Normal School at California as well as other normal schools of the State will probably put into effect the new normal school four year course with the beginning of the fall term next September. A committee of principals in session at Harrisburg has about completed the schedule for the four years' course, and there will be no delay in putting it into effect. The report of the committee making out the schedule will have to be submitted to State Superintendent Nathan C. Schaffer, and his approval will be necessary before it can be put into effect.

The action for an increase in the course was announced first in the Mail from a three year to a four year course as taken only after due consideration. One feature will be a two year residence rule, it being thought that the students can receive more benefit from the instructions where they reside at the school.

Already the new move has caused conisderable discussion at the California Normal, and some of the students have threatened nothing less than a strike.

The California Normal is exclusively a teacher's training school. The change will doubtless mean no graduating class for 1911, the students who would have matriculated this year being compelled to go another year.

BURGLARS TAKE GUNS AND KNIVES, BUT LEAVE THE CASH DRAWER UNTOUCHED

Myers Hardware Store at Bentleyville Burglarized Between Midnight and Daylight.

The Meyers harwdare store at Bentlevyille was burlarized sometime between midnight and 6 o'colck this morning, and $125 or $150 worth of hardware taken, mosity in guns, knives and watches. Entrance was made through a rear window to the store, the glass being broken and then the window unlocked.

There were about 20 good revolvers taken, of Iver Johnson and Spraggs Richardson make, among the number being a six shooter 32 calibre revolver. There were a number of watches and knives taken, but the money drawer which contained some of yesterday's receipts was apparently untouched.

Thomas Meyers, the proprietor of the establishment, who lives over the store, had no knowledge of the burglary until thismorning, when he went to open up the store. He notified the police immediately and a strict lookout will be kept so that any effort to dispose of the guns will be detected. He has offered $25 reward for the arrest of the guilty person or persons.

From appearance the burglary was committed by one person, and the only clue which might aid officers are footprints near and marks on the window.

AGENTS ON A TOUR OF INSPECTION

E. F. Krahmer, the local Pennsylvania railroad agent was a member of an agents' inspection party yesterday which took a trip over Western Pennsylvania terminals, and inspected freight accommodations in various parts. The inspection trip was taken in place of the regular three months' agents meeting which was to have been held yesterday At the head of the party was General Superintendent S. G. Long and Division Superintendent A. G. Mitchell, and a number of other officials.

Notice to the Public

According to our court's ruling we have discontinued solicitors. All persons wishing beer, will call at the Charleroi Brewery, or send order and money by mail, and the order will be promptly delivered.

Independent Brewing Co., Pittsburg, Charleroi Brewery. 155tf

Last Friday Night Dance

The last Friday night of the season will be held in Bank of Charleroi on Friday, April 22. A cordial invitation to our regular patrons and their friends. Music by Jenkins orchestra. 207t3

Charleroi Council No. 120, Royal Arcanum, will hold a stag euchre on Monday, April 25 at 8 p. m. for members and their friends. Members of the council who desire invitations for their friends can obtain them from the Collector or from the committee. Council will meet in regular session at 7:30. 36t1

Everybody get ready for the Washington County Fair April 28 and 29. 206-tf

PRESS ASSOCIATION WILL HOLD MEETING ON FRIDAY EVENING

The Monongahela Valley Press Association will hold a meeting on Friday evening in Charleroi, when the members of the association will be the guests of the Mail Publishing company. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock at the Hotel Walfred, and a business and round table meeting will follow, during which there will be a discussion of various topics of interest to newspaper men. Among the talks will be one by J. Mac Calvin, of the Donora News, on the meeting of the Western Pennsylvania AssociatedDailies, where the print paper situation as affected by the tariff was talked about. Mr. Calvin was the only member of the local association to attend the meeting.

Superentendent Adams Mother Dies Yesterday

Mrs. Adams, aged 65 years, the mother of Supreintendent M. Adams of the Charleroi Douglas college, died yesterday afternoon at about 2 o'clock at her home in Glassport, following an illness of several days. Death was due to indigestion and inflammation of the bowels. There is another son besides Superintendent Adams of Charleroi who survives. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Delicious.

Brick Ice Cream is the most satisfactory way of serving. Try it. Always on hand at Wagner's. 193t1

Everybody get ready for the Washington County Fair, April 28 and 29. 206-tf

Fertilizers of all kinds at R. C Mountsier's 194tf

WILL DISCUSS CHARACTER OF HUGO'S

Dr. Witherspoon of Pittsburg to Lecture Before Athene Club on "Jean Valjean."

FINAL LITERARY MEETING

For their final literary meeting Friday afternoon of this week the Athene Club of ladies have secured Dr. Witherspoon, pastor of the Emory M. E. church of Pittsburg, to give a lecture on "Jean Valjean," one of the characters in Victor Hugo's "Les Miserables." Miss Minnie Richardson will be the hostess for the afternoon, and will entertain the members of the club at her home on Lincoln avenue. For guests the Athene club will have members of the Friday Afternoon Club of Monongahela, and two members of the California, the Canonsburg and Donora clubs. The pastors of the various churches and their wives have also been invited. During his stay here Dr. Witherspoon will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. H J. Booth, former members of his church.

Clerk's Union is Formed at Brownsville by Organizer Baker

Organizer Ed. Baker has completed the organization of a Brownsville Retail Clerks union, and now is working on locals for Donora and Belle Vernon, where he states prospects are good. At Brownsville there are 53 members, and more are expected to join. The officers are: President, Charles Woford; vice president, W. C. Springer, financial secretary, D. W. Pringle; recorder, Mrs. P. H. Hertzog; treasurer, Louis Dear; trustees, Paul Bird, William Coldren, Graham Allison, guide, Miss Sellenberger; guard, Lee Lowenstein.

Contractor Dies at Home in Monessen

Peter J. Preston, 60 years old, a well known buiding contractor of Monessen, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 421 Reed avenue, after an illness of some duration. The funeral will be held at requiem high mass at St. Leonard's Catholic church Saturday morning. Interment in Grandview cemetery. The deceased is survived by his widow and several children.

Muslin, Crashes, Percales at less than old time prices at Berryman's Anniversary Sale. 208t3

An extraordinary sale of Ladies' tailor made suits in our Anniversary Sale. Berryman's. 208t3

CELEBRATING FOURTEENTH ANNIVERSARY

Berryman's Big Department Store Remembering its Birthday.

HAS HAD RAPID GROWTH

Charleroi's big department store is celebrating the completion of its 14th year in Charleroi. From the smallest of beginnings it has grown steadily and surely until now our city can boats of a modern up-to-date store. We believe that any city should be able to boast of its schools, its churches, its municipal buildings, its streets, etc., and also its stores.

Our plan has been to sell the best grade of merchandise at the lowest prices consistent with quality, and you'll find the merchandise here as good as sold in any city store at the same price. This celebration will take the nature of a great anniversary sale, the greatest price reducing anniversary sale ever attempted by this store.

In these days of high living expenses this sale will come as a blessing to all who participate. The ladies suit deparmennt will offer its customers the greatest values ever sold in this store. An overloaded manufacturer has just shipped a big lot of ladies suits at a saving of half. This great suit sale will interest every lady in all this country. These suits arrive this week and will positively be sold at $9.98. The skirts alone are worth that money. Every other suit in the stock will be sold at a heavy reduction. We are safe in saying you will see Charleroi's greatest Bargain Suit Prices.

Then again comes muslins at the old low prices, percales, madras, hose, carpets—hundreds of special prices, is your bargain feast.

At this time the new Clothing Department for men and boys will be opened. Clothing that bears the stamp of reliability—bought right and sold right. We invite an inspection. We particularly invite the mothers to see our line of boys' and children's clothing. We invite every one to this sale—some truly remarkable bargains.

208t2 J. W. BERRYMAN & SON.

Notice.

All members of the Washington Avenue Boy's Brigade are ordered to meet at their drill hall, Friday evening at 7 sharp. A representative of the M. C. Lilley Co. will be present to measure the company for service uniforms. Every member is urged to be present.

208t2p Chas. Wallgren, Capt.

Young man would like to keep books for small concern during morning hours. Write 259 Daily Mail. 2072t

Everybody get ready for the Washington County Fair, April 28 and 29. 206-tf

NEW TYPESETTING MACHINE HELPS TO BRIGHTEN PAPER

It's the after results that tells, when a change is made, and from the much neater as well as more newsy appearance the Monessen Independent has after a week or ten days, use of its new Unitype machine the investment in this new piece of mechanism was undoubtedly a wise one. The Unitype is one of the later date machines for typesetting, and is in use all over the country, in publishing houses. The Independent was the second newspaper in this part of the Monongahela valley to install a machine for setting tpye, the Mail having been the first, and the benefit to be derived therefrom is manifold. The typesetting machine is not only a time saver, but it is also an economical device, and it is said to be especially true of the Independent's new Unitpye. The amount of tpye which can be set by it is far greater than by the old hand method, which has been in vogue at the Independent office since its start. This fact is responsible for the bright appearance nowadays of the Independent. The Mail joins with other newspaper along the vally in congratulating the Independent upon its enterprise and up-to-dateness.

Congressman Tener Takes a Run Home

Congressman J K. Tener arrived in town from Washington, D. C, last night in order to attend to his business interests as well as look over the district in regard to his political prospects. Mr. Tener is looking well and is shaking hands with his numerous friends, who are well pleased over the work done by the Rivers and Harbors committee that affects this section. He will return to Washington tomorrow evening.

Brick Ice Cream.

You should try a brick of Wagners Ice Cream. They have them in all flavors. 193t3

Nothing takes the place of home bakery. Let us demonstrate our superiority. P. Calistri, 837 McKean avenue. 207t6

ANNUAL RECEPTION ATTENDED BY MANY FROM OUT OF TOWN

One of the most sucessful social events in the history of the Charleroi Council No. 956 Knights of Columbus was the annual reception held at Turner Hall last night. There were about 250 persons present constituting members of the Charleroi and other councils, with their wives and lady friends.

The honor guest was District Deputy John W. Slater of Washington, who made an address along general lodge lines and the work being done by the Knights of Columbus. State Deputy John T. Brew, of Erie, who was to have come was unable to be present.

Dancing was enjoyed from 8:30 o'clock to 2 and euchre from 8:30 to 10:30, handsome favors being awarded. A buffett lunch was served. The hall was beautifully decorated, in red and blue, the club's colors. There were guests present from other lodges, in Pittburg, Monessen, McKeesport, Connellsville, Uniontown and Washington. The committee in charge of the affair was Dennis Oates, H. T. Correll, M. T. Crowley, J.K. Rickey, Con. Buchanan and C. F. O'Donnell.

Improving Grounds Surrounding Crest Avenue Building

Under the supervision of the building committee of the school board, improvement, are being made at the Crest avenue school for beautifying the site, and making it on a par with other school sites. The work has been going on during the past few days, trees being planted, the ground being graded and prepared for the sowing of grass, which work will be done soon. The grass will be sown on the two sides and front of the Crest avenue building.

The Crest avenue school is the latest addition to Charlreoi's school structures, having been in use but little more than a year. It contains eight rooms, and the principal is Miss Grace Iams.

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Political Announcements

FOR CONGRESS

JOHN K. TENER

OF CHARLEROI

Subject to the Decision of the Republican Voters of the Twenty-Fourth District at the Primaries June 4

Lost Thunder.

With the announced retirement of Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, and Uncle Joe Cannon to step down and out as Speaker of the House, nothing is left for former Congressman E. F. Acheson to knock the Republican party. Senator Aldrich, the alleged supporter of the trusts and monied interests in United States Senate, announces that he will not seek a renomination after this session of Congress, and Speaker Cannon of the House, who is alleged to have driven through the House Senator Aldrich's measures, to the detriment of the public, has had his power curtailed, and will not again succeed himself as Speaker. In the face of this removal of causes for party disaffection, nothing remains for Mr. Acheson, if he proposes to continue his policy of opposition to Republicanism, but to go over to the Democratic party "body and breeches," as he already has in spirit and sympathy.

The great movement in public righteousness that has been sweeping the country has had the effect of purging the political parties, as well the churches, financial and all other organizations of their reprehensible elements. It is not necessary to destroy an organization founded upon correct principles simply because its functions have been usurped by individual and selfish interests. Both the Democratic and Republican parties were founded upon vital principles of humanity. The Democracy came into being as a party of protest against privilege, and the Republican party was born in defense of human liberty. With the undesirable and selfish elements eliminated from each, the only issue which would now divide them would be a matter of policy in fiscal and economic administration. Both parties are purging their ranks of the undesirable elements, and each has succeeded to the extent that in the matter of opposition it is now a clear cut contest.

There is no reasonable excuse for disgruntled Republicans of Mr. Acheson's tpye, and the only thing for him to do in his policy of opposition is to become an out and out Democrat.

Too Many Units.

Chancellor McCormack's statement that there should be some radical changes in the courses of our common schools, so that a boy or girl at sixteen years of age will have completely and thoroughly finished the twelve grades, is one that should have weight. This eminent educator asserts that there are too many units in most of the courses at the present time, and the youth who leaves school at the age of sixteen is not proficient enough in the common branches to give him a solid foundation for self-education in after years.

Old-timers who passed through the common branches in the district school and remained until sixteen years of age, will readily see the truth of the statement of the chancellor, of the Western Univeristy of Pennsylvania. The last two years of district school life were usually devoted to reviewing and familiarizing the pupil with work already gone over, so that the pupil of a generation ago was infinitely better grounded in practical knowledge than the high school graduate of the present day, who has a smatteringof more branches, but is not so thorough, as a rule, in the common branches. Many school course are forumlated with the ultimate object of higher education, but the great majority of public school pupils do not go to college, and these should receive the consideration that is due them.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

It is not always the qualications alone that entitles a ball player to a place in the professional ranks. Sometimes his spirit of cheerfulness enters into his engagement or non-engagement.

If Aldrick quits his place in Congress the big money kings will lose a mighty good friend.

No one ever said the Yough river did not need to be dammed. Some have even hinted profanely that it had some treacherous passages.

With all due respect to Teddy, it is a matter of history that he has yet failed to tell what got away.

Charleroi can't very well have a Union depot, unless the street car companies will chip in.

While a fellow cannot tell much what Italian dramatists are talking about, still he can appreciate their acting, more than he can some American attempts.

Oxfords seem to be going out of style instead of coming in at the present.

Straw hats are only a dream thus far

Hereafter there will be no strikes in the fifth district by the United Mine Workers of America. They will be "troubles."

The reason they sing grand operas in so many different languages, is that the singer are of so many climes that the managers are afraid to trust them with other languages than their own, for fear there might be some person in the audience who would understand.

If Anthony Drexal will only have the good sense to keep out of politics there is no reason why he and his bride should not lead a happy existance

Harry Thaw seems to be the most popular man in law suits in America.

This world is a pretty rough old place, because the truth has been crushed to earth so often.

We are so glad to know the Charleroi Water company is "going" to start work soon.

Nice Discrimination.

"Stop!" cried an author to a maid-servant. "What papers are you burning there?"

"It's all right, sir," was the reply. "These are only the old sheets covered with writing. I 'aven't touched the clean ones!"

Although vanity is supposed to be a feminine trait, one doesn't have to scratch very deep to find it in a man.—Chicago News.

Potatoes a la Princesse.

To one pint of mashed potatoes add one tablespoonful melted butter and one egg well beaten. Cut the potatoes into strips two inches long, one inch wide and half an inch thick. Dip the strips first into the melted butter, then into the egg and lay them with a knife on lightly buttered tin pans. Cook in hot oven for ten minutes and serve.

Compensation.

A young cadet was complaining of the tight fit of his uniform.

"Why, father," he declared, "the collar presses my Adam's apple so hard I can taste cider!"—Harper's Weekly.

First Omnibus.

"Omnibus" was an almost brand new word in its modern sense when Shillibeer took it from the French in 1829, and in France the name possessed a special significance for those who knew their history, for from 1672 to 1676 Paris had already seen a regular service of many public vehicles, "carosses a cinq sous." Only these predecessors of the modern bus were not "omnibus"—for all. The letters patent which instituted them for the benefit of middle class people laid down that they were not to be used by soldiers, lackeys or any other wearers of livery or artisans and laborers. These exclusive vehicles faded out of existence, and the new ones, which were started in Paris in 1828, were named "omnibus" expressly to signify their democratic character.—London Chronicle.

Crowded New York.

New York always was crowded. In 1837 it had about thirty first class hotels. Most of them were below City Hall park. The capacity of these houses was about 6,000. The average number of visitors to the city at that time was estimated to be 20,000. It is stated by an early historian that it was not an unusual sight to see strangers in the city wandering from house to house, carrying their baggage with them, seeking lodging for the night. At that time there were only three hotels conducted on the European plan. Lodging at the latter was from $2.50 to $3.50 a week.—New York Press.

Not Since the Flood.

Sir Henry Irving once received what he at the time considered a very palpable snub, delivered him by a highlander. While touring in Scotland the actor visited some of the notable traditionary scenes associated with Shakespearean drama. As a matter of course one of the first pilgrimages was to the blasted heath where Macbeth met the witches. In an agreeable mood Sir Henry as they drove along turned smilingly to his driver.

"Are there any witches about now?" he asked.

The driver whipped up his horses.

"Not since the flood," he replied in his curt Scots way.

Beware of Flies.

Flies are a great menace to health it has been proved that they cause many diseases, and therefore babies should be carefully protected from them. We know that the fly causes a large percentage of typhoid fever cases and that it is the chief disseminator of diarrheal diseases. Therefore during the entire summer every mother should wage unceasing warfare on the common household pest. The number of bacteria on a single fly may range from 550 to 6,000,000. Early in the season the number of bacteria is comparatively small, but it increases rapidly with the progress of the summer. Screen all food.

Learn to Laugh.

Learn to laugh. A good laugh is better than medicine. Learn to tell a story. A well told story is as welcome as a sunbeam in a sickroom. Learn to keep your own troubles to yourself. The world is too busy to care for your ills and sorrows. Learn to do something for others. Even if you are a bedridden invalid there is always something that you can do to make others happier, and that is the surest way to attain happiness for yourself.—Exchange.

Man Eating Lions.

Of African lions Miss Kirkland in her book on Africa writes: "As a rule, it is only old lions which attack human beings. They grow too decrepit to be able to catch the more agile antelopes, which are their lawful prey; so, goaded by a hunger which age cannot wither or lessen, they pounce on unwary mortals."

Precocity.

"Every time the baby looks into my face he smiles," said Mr. Meekton.

"Well," answered his wife, "it may not be exactly polite, but it shows he has a sense of humor."—Exchange.

Hunger or Fame.

"It is a good thing to hunger for fame," remarked the struggling author.

"Yes," assented his friend the artist, "if you don't get the fame you are sure to get the hunger."—Chicago News.

A Trying Time.

"Colonel," asked the beautiful girl, "when was the most trying moment of your life?"

"It was when I went to my wife's father for the purpose of asking him to let me have her. He was very deaf, and I had to explain the matter before twenty clerks."—Chicago Record Herald.

Particular.

Patience—Peggy is terribly afraid of microbes.

Patrice—Funny she'll allow any of the young men to kiss her.

"Oh, she'll only kiss by telephone!"—Yonkers Statesman.

Oh!

"How did you act when he proposed?"

"I sank gracefully on one knee."

"How ridiculous! What in the world did you sink on your knee for?"

"On his knee, not mine."—Houston Post.

Quite a Difference.

Customer—Can't you give anything off to a clergyman? Tradesman—Not in this instance, sir. You see, these goods is different from yours. These is guaranteed goods.—Life.

Love, like fortune, turns upon a wheel and is very much given to rising and falling.—Vanbrugh.

PERSONAL

Movements of the People in Charleroi and Vicinity

Special sale ladies toilor made suits at Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Miss Alice Mallabone is a Pittsburg visitor today.

Boy's Clothing of the right sort and every suit new—visit this new department in Berryman's store, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Miss Erma Davis of Washington avenue is spending a few days in Pittsburg and McKeesport with friends.

That new Men's Clothing Department, full and complete, is nobby—every garment new, stylish and up-to-date—Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

A. H. Furlong is transacting businesss today in Pittsburg.

Ladies' Suits hit hard in our Anniversay Sale, Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gear of Washington avenue, a son.

Carpets and Rugs at Anniversary prices. Read the specials at Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Mrs. Edgar B. Walters and son, Llewellyn of Pittsburg returned home Tuesday after spending several days with relatives here.

Anniversary cut prices and you'll want them, get the circular, Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

High cost of living, knocked higher than a kite at our Anniversary Sale, Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Stetson Hats, and the Mallory Hat, cravenetted. Get them at Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

L. A. McVey is transacting business today in Brownsville.

We're from Missouri and are not only willing but anxious to show you Men'i Clothing. Every suit new, Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

John Jenkins of Wabington avenue is spending the day in Uniontown, going there to attend the funeral of a brother-in-law.

Wash suits for little boys, ages 2 to 6 years and a lot to select from at Berryamn's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

William Hott, who has been confined to his home the past few days by illness is improving and expects to be out tomorrow.

Snappy young men's clothes, see them at Berryman's, Charleroi Pa. 208t3

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller of Meadville, who have been spending the past two weeks in Charleroi, the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mr. George S. Might of McKean avenue, left yesterday afternoon for their home, being accompanied by Mrs. Might who will visit in Meadville several days.

Boy's Suits, Boy's Caps, Boy's Underwear, Suspenders, Hosiery and Neckwear. Berryamn's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Come to our big Anniversary Sale. A bargain feast at Berryman's, Charleroi, Pa. 208t3

Quite a Success.

Wife of the Professor—Charles, here is a telegram—an explosion in your laboratory and the place wrecked. Professor—Thank goodness! Then that experiment was a success, after all.—New York Journal.

Cause For Joy.

"Congratulations, old man! I suppose you're tickled to death because it's a boy."

"Yes; in a few years, now, I'll have an excuse for going to the circus."—Detroit Free Press.

Glaciers.

It has been demonstrated that the glacier does not move in one block, but flows, accommodating itself to the channel in which it moves. Professor Tyndall planted a row of sticks in a straight line across a glacier, and after a few days the line had become a crescent, with the concavity upward, showing that the middle of the glacier moved faster than the sides, just as in a river the stream is stronger in the center.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—New Piano. R. Dale Jeliffe. 203t2

FOR RENT—Three room flat, gas, water and heat furnished. Apply Greenberg Bros. 6204tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 330 Washington avenue. 207t2

WANTED—Housecleaning to do by the day. Inquire 413 Mail. 2072tp

WANTED—Local representative to sell men's clothing on credit by largest credit clothing house in the world; no capital required; write for plan. Menter and Rosenbloom Co., 600 Cox Bldg., Rochester, N. Y. 196t1w4

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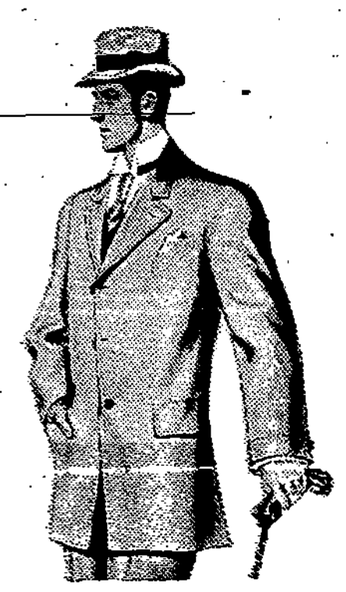

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Hershey's Cocoa, 10c can two for	15c
Domestic Sardines, 7 for	25c
Dry Ammonia, 3 cans for	25c
Walter Baker Chocolate, per lb	37c
Three pound can Spinach	10c
Large wood wash tub	65c
Dried Apples, per pound	10c
Dried Apricots, per pound	15c
Dried pears, per pound	9c
Seedless raisins, 2 pounds for	15c

Vanilla Wafers, per lb	10c	2 packages Vermecelli	15c
Fig bars	10c	2 10c packages noodles	15c
2 cans fancy tomatoes	15	6 cakes washing soap	15c
Pearl head rice, 2½ lb for	25c	2 bottles shoe dressing	15c
2 lbs large prunes	15c	2 boxes Blackola	15c
5 lbs pure buckwheat	15c	2 cans strawberry beets	15c
2 cans Bos. baked beans	15c	2 3-lb cans, string beans	15c
2 packages sea shell	15c	2 3-lb cans pumpkin	15c
2 packages Macaroni	15c	2 rolls 10c toilet paper	15c
		2 flat cans salmon	15c

THE CO-OPERATIVE STORE

620 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

Read the Mail

BERRYMAN'S
14th Anniversary Celebration
Begins Saturday, April 23d=Lasts Ten Days

Ten Days of the most remarkable Value Giving ever started by this store-Low Prices on High Quality Merchandise-Look for Circular.

SATURDAY begins our Fourteenth Anniversary Sale, and we extend a cordial invitation to every resident of Charleroi and all nearby towns and surrounding country to attend this Anniversary Celebration. Every department in this big store will have something special for you. For weeks we have scoured the markets of the East and elsewhere for unusual values for this Anniversary Sale. Never were the stocks so full and complete, and we feel that we have collected here the finest as well as the largest stock of new and desirable merchandise ever brought to Charleroi. This will be the occasion of the opening of our new Clothing Department, where we will carry complete lines of Men's, Young Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing. It will bear the stamp of integrity that we aim to have on all goods sold in this store. They must be right, and this new department comes to you with our old stand=by motto: "One Price to All--and That the Lowest." :: :: ::

EVERYTHING RIGHT OR MONEY BACK

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Very Respectfully Yours,

John W. Hallam

Washington, Pa., April 16, 1910.

HER GREETING.

In Spite of the Old Lady's Care She Managed to Blunder.

The daughters of a certain charming old lady in Washington are frequently much upset by the odd social blunders of their parent, whose failings in this respect are, however, more than offset by her kindliness of manner.

Among the callers to the house of this family was a Mrs. Farrell, who, after some years of widowhood, again married, this time becoming the wife of a Mr. Meggs.

"If you love us, mother," said one of the girls when the newly married lady's card had been brought in one afternoon shortly after the completion of the honeymoon, "don't make the mistake of calling her Mrs. Farrell."

The mother solemnly promised to commit no faux pas and as she went downstairs was heard to repeat to herself, "Meggs—Meggs—Meggs—not Farrell."

At the conclusion of the call the old lady was met at the head of the stairs by the daughter, who at once observed an ominous expression of despondency on the old lady's face.

"Oh, mother," she exclaimed, "surely you didn't"—

"No, Clara," replied the mother emphatically, "I didn't. I was so careful to call her Mrs. Meggs all the time."

"Well, what's the trouble, then?"

"Oh, dear!" murmured the kindly old lady, as she sank into a chair. "It was awful of me, I know! When I greeted her I said: 'I am glad to see you, Mrs. Meggs. How is Mr. Farrell?'"—Harper's Weekly.

Rainbow Upside Down.

Not very many persons have ever seen an inverted rainbow, although the phenomenon sometimes appears At the Italian geodynamic observatory of Rocca de Papa not long ago the director and a party of visitors were fortunate enough to see one. The morning was showery, and as the party looked down from an elevation of 2300 feet they saw in the Campagna a perfect rainbow with its concave side up, the middle point bearing to the northeast. From the Eiffel tower in Paris one has also been seen, in this case the rainbow being double and extending above and below the horizon to form two concentric circles nearly complete. Generally the inverted rainbow is to be seen only in the mountains and then very rarely. The phenomenon, of course, is due merely to the position of the observer which must be above the refracting agent instead of below.—Pathfinder.

An Old Ash Wednesday Custom.

At one time it was on Ash Wednesday the custom to appoint an official of the English palaces to crow the hours of the day, like a cock, as a reminder of the denial of St. Peter. This practice excited the furious indignation of George II. His ignorance of English made it very difficult for the courtiers to explain that the royal cock crower was not making fun of him. The cock crower was a salaried officer at the English court as late as 1823.

He Followed Directions.

Red tape leads one to curious lengths. A writer in the Columbus Dispatch tells of a street railway car that picked up a young heifer on its fender and carried it some distance through the street.

In making out the required report to the superintendent the employee wrote in answer to the query on the blank form, "What did the victim say?" "She was carried along on the fender and then rolled off and ran away without saying a word."

The Colossus of Rhodes.

The gigantic Colossus of Rhodes was one of the seven wonders of the world. It was erected in honor of the sun by Charles of Lindus, a disciple of Lysippus, and was thrown down by an earthquake about 224 B. C.

The figure stood upon two moles, a leg extended on each side of the harbor. A winding staircase led to the top of the figure, from out of the eyes of which were visible the coast of Syria and the ships sailing on the coast of Egypt. The colossi were the peculiar characteristic of eastern art and were of common occurrence, many of them being over sixty feet in height. The most celebrated is the statue of Memnos, on the plain of Thebes, described by the historian Strabo.

Foresight.

Little George, who was four years old, had been told many Bible stories. Among them was the story of the flood and the building of the ark by Noah. One day a storm threatened. The clouds grew darker, the wind arose, and suddenly the rain began to fall.

"Auntie," said George, "do you think it is going to storm?"

"Yes, I think it will," was the reply.

"Do you think it will be a hail storm?" asked the little fellow.

"Yes, I think it will be a hard storm," the aunt replied.

"Well, don't you think some of us had better begin building an ark?" he asked.—Los Angeles Times.

Making Hubby Appreciative.

A doctor tells of a note he received from a woman saying that her husband, who was about to make him a professional call, found constant fault with the dinner she prepared for him. She appealed to the physician for aid. The doctor examined his patient, who had a slight attack of indigestion, and told him to cut out luncheons, to eat nothing but a slice of toast and a cup of tea. The scheme worked excellently. Of course hubby returns home in the evening, eats everything in sight and votes his wife's cooking even better than mother used to make.—Boston Record.

An Independent Miller.

When Frederick built his famous palace of Sans Souci there happened to be a mill that greatly hampered him in the execution of his plans, and he asked the miller for how much he would sell it. The miller replied that for a long series of years his family had owned the mill, which had passed from father to son, and that he would not sell it for any price. The king used every solicitation, offered to build him a mill in a better place and pay him, besides, any sum he might demand, but the obstinate miller still persisted in his determination to preserve the inheritance of his ancestors.

Irritated at last by his conduct, the king sent for him and said in an angry tone:

"Why do you refuse to sell your mill notwithstanding all the advantages I have offered you?"

A Slight Difference.

Uncle Bob, who lived in Washington and worked at the war department, was at the old home for a few days. Little Ted was a devout worshiper and tagged about after his uncle all day long, listening to him and asking questions. Finally he delivered himself of an important matter.

"Uncle Bob," he said, "do you ever see the president in Washington?"

"Oh, yes; often. I see him nearly every day."

"Uncle Bob," asked Ted solemnly, after careful thought, "does the president see you?"—Woman's Home Companion.

Called His Papa Down.

Little Willy is a bright boy and a saucy boy. His apt answers have often turned away wrath and often turned it upon him strongly. The other day his father was reprimanding him for some misdeed, and Willy was answering very saucily. The father became very angry and, seizing the youngster by the collar, said: "See here, young man, you must not talk like that to me. I never gave my father impudence when I was a boy." Willy was not feazed at all. With a cherubic smile he looked into papa's eyes and said, "But, papa, maybe your father didn't need it." 'Twas all off. Willy escaped punishment, while papa retired to another room.

Curious Old Laws.

Some of the old laws of Nepal, India, were curious. Killing cows ranked with murder as a capital offense, for instance. Every girl at birth was married with great ceremony to a betel fruit, which was then cast into a sacred stream. As the fate of the fruit was uncertain the girl was supposed never to become a widow. To obtain divorce from a husband a wife had only to place a betel nut under his pillow and depart. In Nepal the day is considered to begin when it is light enough to count the tiles on the roof or distinguish the hairs on a man's hand against the sky.

In Doubt.

Hairdresser (while giving lady a vigorous shampoo)—Will you have anything on your head when I am finished, madam? She—I am sure I don't know. I was in hopes you would leave enough hair to pin my hat to.

Very Convenient.

Caretaker (to prospective tenant)—Yes, this 'ouse is most conveniently situated. There's a music 'all close and 'andy, and there's a pub just over the way, and a pawnbroker's round the corner.—London Tit-Bits.

When a king creates an office Providence at once creates a fool to buy it.—Colbert.

Anchored Him.

"I was at a reception with a certain young lady the other night," said a man who always tells the truth, "and her father was there too. He doesn't think much of me, and he followed us about from room to room—wouldn't let us get out of his sight for a minute. Well, I knew the old man was an awful tight wad, so I thought up a scheme. I carelessly dropped a half dollar on the floor while he was looking. He moved over and put his foot on it and never stirred until the party broke up. Meanwhile daughter and I beat it and enjoyed ourselves."—Cleveland Leader.

Not Particular.

Mme. Calve at a ladies' luncheon was condoned by an elderly spinster on the ground that a laudatory article about her had not been very subtle or discriminating.

"I know well," said the spinster, smiling behind her glittering spectacles, "that only discriminating praise counts as praise with you."

"Don't talk about discriminating praise," answered Mme. Calve. "Fulsome flattery is good enough for me."—Washington Star.

Absorbing.

"Is the new filing system a success?"

"Great!"

"And how's business?"

"Oh, we've stopped business to attend to the filing system."—Boston Traveler.

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THE LIFE OF "HOP" ANDERSON

Candidate For State Senate Comes From Noted Family. Has Achieved Things.

HIS RECORD IS ONE OF MERIT

A. H. Anderson, Esq., the Republican candidate for State Senator, was born in the house where he now resides in Peters township, Washington county, Pennsylvania, and is widely known through this section of the county and Western Pennsylvania. He is a son of the late Dr. D. M. Anderson and Charity S. (Wright) Anderson. His father was a well known physician and surgeon and later a prominent coal operator and was the sole owner of the Anderson mine at Anderson Station, B. and O. railroad. He was prominent in politics and served several terms in the Legislature. His ancestors were Scotch-Irish and came from the Clan Campbell of Scotland.

His father, Dr. D. M. Anderson, was born in Beaver county. While quite young he went with his father and brother to California in the early days of the gold excitement. He spent about five years there in the gold mines and in farming, and afterwards went to Chile, South America, where he was general manager of a flouring mill, owned by an English syndicate. He returned to America at the opening of the Civil war and served as an active medical cadet at Camp Curtain, Harrsiburg. He afterwards took a course of lectures in medicine at Ann Arbor, Michigan, and was commissioned as Assistant Surgeon of the 12th Regiment of U. S. colored troop, and served until the close of hostilities. Among the engagements in which he participated was the battle of Nashville when the colored troops, to which he was attached, were ordered to charge Overton Hill. In thirty minutes they lost over 25 per cent of their men in killed and wounded, one of the greatest losses that ever took place in that short space of time, of any battle in the history of the world. It was impossible to provide men for litter bearers with so heavy a loss and so he left the dressing station and went to the firing line where he attended to the wounded.

As an employer of labor, he gained quite a reputation for fair treatment of his men. When he started in the coal business, it was the custom to pay monthly, and hold back two weeks on hand, so it was possible to work for six weeks without receiving any pay. He established a system before unheard of, of paying the men every week. He was material in passing the semi-monthly pay day and it as through his influance with the Pittsburg Coal Association that the operators did not at that time resist is passage.

Mr. Anderson attended the public schools of Peters township when a boy and developed that nervy resistance which has since characterized him by not missing a siugle day in six years, not withstanding that he was obliged to walk a distance of two miles each day. He then entered Trinity Hall, Washington, Pa., and in four years finished his course there and spent his summer vacations at home working on the farm and on the engineer corps of the B. and O. R. R.

He then entered Trinity college, Hartford, Conn., where he was graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Arts, at the same time doing newspaper work on the Hartford Telegram.

In college he was managing editor of the Trinity Ivy, the college annual and played on his class baseball team. He has always been a great baseball enthusiast and organized and played with the Venetia baseball team which was for several years one of the best in the county.

During the first three years following his graduation he helped his father in the various lines of work connected with the Anderson mines traveling a part of the time and gaining knowledge of business and of men that has proved of great value to him. He then began to study law, reading for a time in the office of John McCleave of Pittsburg. Sometime later he entered the Columbia Law school in New York City. About half of his first year was spent in St. Luke's Hospital as a tpyhoid fever patient. The next year was a very busy one, as his illness of the preceeding entailed almost double work. He finished the three years' course with his class and was graduated as Bachelor of Law. In the same year his Alma Mater, Trinity college, conferred on him the degree of Master of Arts. He was then admitted to the practice of the law.

In the years that have since elapsed he has built up a reputation for ability and integrity that might be envied by many an older man. As a student his aim has been to study the law not only as it was and is, but as it should be.

He served two years as marshall of the Allegheny County Bar Association. Although he does not appear frequently in Court in the trial cases, yet he has been engaged in some very important litigation and obtained favorable decision in courts of Allegheny county on a collateral inheritance tax case, in the face of a line of decisions in such cases, which are generally decided in favor of the Commonwealth. His practice has been confined chiefly to the settlement of estates in the Orphans Courts and as counsel to corporations and general business affairs.

In 1898 he surprised his friends by enlisting in the famous Tenth Regiment, going as a recruit with Col. Jas. E. Barnett. He served in the San Francisco and Honolulu camps and joined the regiment at Manila. He went out with his company in the Philippine isurrection and remained on the firing line till the regiment was relieved after the Maiolos campaign. At this time his health was very much affected by the tropical climate and although he was greatly reduced in weight and was in a serious condition he refused to leave the fighting line until the regiment was relieved. His popularity among his comrades has been shown by his election as thier president, the only private who has ever been elected to that position.

During his career Mr. Anderson has been closely connected with many successful enterprises. The organizing of the First National Bank of Finleyville was in a great measure due to his efforts This bank has been successful and Mr. Anderson has been a member of its Board of Directory and its solicitor ever since its organization, and is now its president.

He is vice-president of the First National Bank of Castle Shannon and also of the Castle Shannon Savings and Trust Company.

In addition to his connection with these institutions Mr. Anderson has a large experience in the management and settling of estates and is much consulted in the matter of investments. His experience in business matters, his legal training, his financial connections make him a most valued member of corporate boards and he is consequently much sought after to fill such positions. He believes that the smaller business man and the farmer should have the privileges and protection of corporate organizations as well as the heavy capitalists, and in his legal practice he has taken out many charters. Among the boards in which he has been or is now a director are the following: Pittsburg and Castle Shannon Railroad company. The Bethel Telephone company. The Finleyville Southern Street Railway company, The Finleyville Cemetery company, The Excelsior Oil and Gas Company, The Pittsburg Casualty Company, and the banking institutions above named.

Apart from his business association, Mr. Anderson is unusually prominent in social and military organization. He is a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, and one of the board of managers of the State Society; a member of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, the Sons of Veterns, the Army of the Cumberland, the Army of the Philippines, having been president of Camp Malate. He is Junior Vice Commander of the Army of the Philippines and was Chairman of the Convention lately held in Pittsburg. He is well known throughout the Society, having attended many conventions.

He has always taken a very active interest in politics and ever since he became a voter, has participated actively in primaries, has been a regular attendant at theconventions and at the meetings of the county committee. He was chairman of his precinct for five years and always did his share in contributing to Republican victories. After the primaries in 1898, when there had been a great overturning in the politics of the county, he was selected by the candidates nominated to act as County Chairman, and while opposed by a certain element in the party, he won by a vote of over five to one. While quite a number of the defeated candidates bolted the ticket, and owing to the fact that many mills, factories and mines were closed down and there was widespread the dissatiefaction against the party candidates, the Republican ticket pulled through with almost its usual majority, and the legislative ticket, against which a bitter fight had been waged was only a few hundred votes behind the county commissioners against whom no fight had been waged. Those opposed to the ticket admitted that it had been a very clean campaign, significant of the fact that a new order of things had been inaugurated.

Prior to the nomination in 1906 for State Senator from the 46th district, when composed of Washington and Beaver Counties, Mr. Anderson had been selected by many of the leading Republicans to be their candidate for the State Senate, and as the nomination had gone to Beaver county the last time, it was generally conceded that the nomination would come to Washington county However the Legislative Session of 1906 passed an apportionment bill, which put Washington and Greene counties together. Mr. Anderson still remained in the field and it looked as though he would receive the unanimous support of his county. However, the Hon. John M. Berry, for two terms a member of the Legislature and a prominent and well known man throughout the county, was announced and being a very strong candidate it was thought he would be a very close race At the convention, however, it was found that Mr. Anderson's vote exceeded Mr. Berry's almost three to one, and his popularity was shown more than ever by defeating such a strong candidate.

Greene county also had a contest between the Hon. D. S. Walton and Hon. J. P. Teagarden, which resulted in a victory for the former. The nomination that lay between the two counties and Mr. Anderson throughout the entire negotiations was fair and just to Greene county, for as he had been delegated full power to make the rules, he agreed that Greene county should have equal representation. The two conferences were held, after which it was decided that the matter would have to be settled by the state Committee. When the matter was put to the State Committee, a plea was made for Greene county, that under the popular vote they could never again receive this honor. W. S. Parker was appointed Referee and he voted in favor of the Greene county cadidate, Senator Walton. This matter created a great deal of dissatisfaction throughout the county of Washington, but Mr. Anderson immediately placed himself at the disposal of the County Committee and did everything in his power to help the ticket and worked faithfully throughout the campaign. Today his candidacy has a particular significance. It appeals to those who have always been identified with the party and who do not believe in irregularity, because he has at all times and in all places supported the ticket, even under the most trying and discouraging circumstances.

Having been born and raised in the county and one of those who did not leave the farm but still lives there, he and his family are the owners of one of the largest bodies of land in the county. It is not probable that the farmer would suffer or be at any disadvantage at his hands. Being in close contact with laboring men all his life, living among them and personally known to thousands of them who can attest to his fair dealing and honesty of purpose, it is not probable that they themselves could have selected a representative more acceptable to the majority of them than is Mr. Anderson. His education as an attorney also stands him in good play because a great deal of our legislation is declared unconstitutional, not so much on account of the spirit as the form of the bill, and his knowledge and training in constitutional law will be very valuable to a Senator, particularly since Washington county has not been represented by a lawyer for many years. The legislative body should not be made up of lawyers exclusively, but should be represented by some of them.

His candidacy appeals also to the business men and those interested in financial institutions, as he has had long and wide experience in his connection and official capacity with them.

Being the son of a old soldier and a veteran of the Spanish American War, his candidacy is particularly acceptable to the young and old veterans alike. In short, his life training and work seem all to have tended to fit him particularly for this important and highly honorable office.

A. H. Anderson, Candidate for State Senator.

Nietzsche and the Invalid.

An invalid lady who often met Nietzsche found him the gentlest kindest and most sympathetic of men He "implored her with tears in his eyes not to read his books" Such was his knowledge of women that he was thunderstruck to find shortly afterward that the lady at once proceeded to read them all He was further stupefied by the discovery that, having read them she was utterly unmoved by the philosopher's unanswerable demonstrations that feeble persons like herself had no right to live and that women were distinguished by this trait and the other objectionable attribute It must have been a blow to him—London News

The Use of Iron.

Iron has been known to men for a very long time In the time of the Assyrians it was extensively used, iron saws, knives and other tools having been found by Layard at Nineveh Homer refers to the forging of iron, while the hardening and tempering of steel appear to have been operations in common use among the early Greeks The employment of a kind of bellows for the forging of tools presumably of iron, figures in Egyptian sculpture of 1500 B C Cast iron appears to have been discovered about 350 B C Through the agency of the Romans the manufacture of iron was introduced all over the then known world and into those regions where it had not been previously known—New York American

Cemetery of 4,000 Dogs.

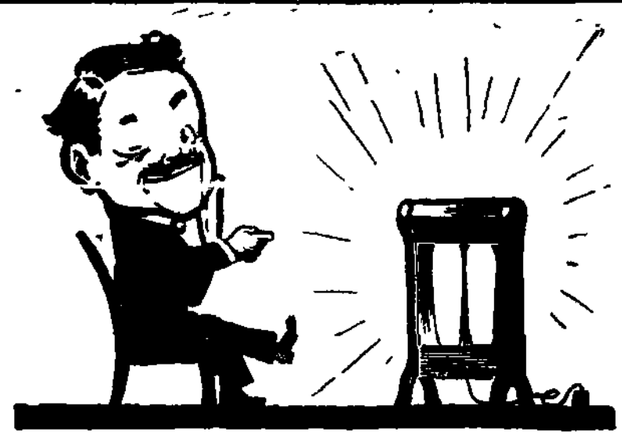
A beautiful dog cemetery was founded on the Ile des Ravageurs, near Paris, in 1899 There are already 4 000 "graves" in the cemetery Some of them, leased for a long term, have cost as much as 2 000 francs The lowest price paid for any concession is 5 francs, and the expenses of the most discreet burial are 25 francs Visitors to the cemetery pay 50 centimes as an entrance fee On one of the tombstones they may read, "Homage to a faithful heart," and on another, "Here lies Black killed by a civilized savage." The above victim, explains the keeper died at the hands of an indignant concierge Another marble slab mounted on cement rock contains the following "Neither name nor date, what matters it?" And again, "Beneath these stones reside the material remains of that which during its life was my joy and my consolation"

The Chauffeur's Rebuke.

An elderly colonel in a New York club is very inquisitive, and there is no question he hesitates to ask. The other day he saw drawn up before a hotel a fine motor car, and at the wheel of the car sat a chauffeur who had formerly been in his own employ The colonel stopped and asked the chauffeur who his master was, how he liked his job and what wages he drew. The chauffeur answered these questions politely. There was a cold glitter in his eye, though He was waiting for an opening. It came when the inquisitive old clubman said.

"Er—Gaston, what—er—how much did your employer pay for this car?"

"The fact is, sir," the chauffeur answered promptly, "I never had the impudence to ask him"



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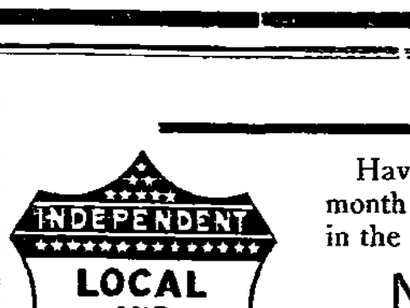

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IN HIGH ALTITUDES.

The Most Common Ways In Which the Heart Is Affected.

Dr. I. N. Hall, writing in the American Journal of the Medical Sciences, says that the dangers to the heart in high altitudes are the same as in other places, but are greatly exaggerated in some directions. The troubles most common and serious, he says, relate to inflammation of the heart muscle, hardening of the arteries and dilation of the heart.

The principle applied is this: The heart and lungs have an increase of functional work with each added degree of elevation and the consequent decrease in atmospheric pressure. To meet the increased demand on the circulation the heart must enlarge if the usual amount of exercise is taken. It is not unusual for acute dilation of the heart to occur after slight effort on the part of those whose arteries have begun to harden and who long have been accustomed to atmospheric pressure at the sea level. The trouble with those who suffer in high altitude, the writer declares is that they try to do too much at first when they feel invigorated by the bracing atmosphere.

Dr. Hall adds that even an ascent in a railway train may be fatal to those who have but a narrow margin of heart strength, as the slight strain tion at such a time may produce angina pectoris. The average case of well compensated valvular disease will do as well at a high altitude as anywhere else if the patient observes proper precautions. In such a climate he is less susceptible to acute rheumatism.

THE SAWMILL'S BOOKS.

They Needed Not an Auditor, but a Mathematical Carpenter.

Biffkins froze me with a stare. "I remember," he went on, calmly ignoring my interruption, "one time when I was hired to keep books for a sawmill way up north. 'Twas six days by log wagon from ever' place except in' the infernal regions, the same bein' a quarter of a mile away, straight down. The durned simpleton they sent down to Nigger Wool settlement after me had so much business with a roulette dealer that he forgot to tell me to get some office supplies, so when we got to camp I found that the principal component of my palatial 6 by 8 business apartment consisted of three lumber crayons, slightly shop worn, and a last year's almanac. I got some smooth pine boards and kept my books in them with chalk."

"How did it work?" I asked, interested in spite of myself.

"Like a charm," grinned Biffkins "until the foreman of gang 1 got on a drunk one night an' slept in the office an' used up fourteen pages of the general ledger fer kindlin' wood the next mornin'. The company sent up an auditor to check over my books, but he went back plumb disgusted. Told 'em they didn't need an auditor—what they wanted was a carpenter who was handy at figgers. An' that reminds me"— —Bookkeeper

Transparent Rhubarb.

To be made day before using. Cut rhubarb into pieces one-half inch long. Spread on plates and sprinkle with sugar, allowing one-half cupful of sugar to each cupful of fruit. Let all stand overnight. In the morning pour off the juice and boil for ten minutes, drop in the rhubarb, a small portion at a time, and cook until tender. Remove from the sirup as soon as done to preserve shape. Put in a pretty dish.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Underweight.

Brown—That coal dealer of ours got just what was coming to him. Town—How? Brown—Married a girl the other day, thinking that he was getting 140 pounds and got only 98.—St. Louis Times

Corroded by Water.

In a German village an underground lead water pipe was found greatly corroded and perforated. Investigation showed that the soil in which the pipe had lain was permeated by very low pure water and consequently contained large quantities of ammonia, ammonium nitrate and other compounds, which had attacked the lead pipe, forming lead carbonate, nitrate, nitrite and chloride. All of these lead salts, except the carbonate, are more or less soluble in water. The carbonate is insoluble in pure water, but is soluble in water containing carbon dioxide. Iron pipes coated with asphalt should be employed for underground conduits. If lead pipes are used they should be imbedded in asphalt.—Scientific American.

Mrs. Pankhurst to Come Here.

To add to the excitement of the war for and against votes for women which is to be waged in New York next winter word has just come from England by cable to Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch that the redoubtable Mrs. Pankhurst, originator of the suffragette movement in England and leader of its most militant branch, will visit America at that time. She will do so, that is, if she is not sent to jail first. She is at present involved in a lawsuit as to the right of a subject to petition the premier in person, and her friends expect her to go to jail in the end, but they hope that she will manage to get to America first.

Mrs. Pankhurst will remain in the country six or seven weeks, and while in New York her engagements will be managed by the League of Self Supporting Women, of which Mrs. Blatch is president. Among other things there will be a Carnegie hall meeting in her honor.

"ORAN AMOK!"

The Bloodthirsty Malay When He Is Maddened by Frenzy.

"Amok" is a religious fanaticism, a madness under which a man makes up his mind to kill any one he can until he himself is killed. Brought on by drink or religion or from whatever cause, the process is the same. The madman seizes his creese and rushes headlong down the street, cutting at every one he meets. To any one who has seen a creese or a parang further detail is unnecessary.

A man running amok is as a dog with hydrophobia, but the panic caused by the former is by far the worse. Like the mad dog, the madman is followed by a noisy rabble, who sooner or later run into their man and exterminate him. When this vengeful rabble is made up of bloodthirsty Malays and Chinamen its wild rage and fury are beyond control, beyond description. The clamor and bloodcurdling yells of the pursuing crowd and the ever nearing shout of "Oran amok, oran amok!" are incidents which can never be forgotten by any one who has seen or heard them. The bravest quails when suddenly turning the corner of a street his ears are greeted with the cry of "Oran amok!" and a few yards off he sees a Malay running straight at him, [illegible] creese with which he has already slaughtered all in his way.—London Chronicle

Authors Favor Suffrage.

It is very evident that suffrage is in favor among the best known authors of America, men and women, from the list of names on the national petition for woman suffrage which includes Mark Twain, William Dean Howells, Sarah Orne Jewett, Frances Hodgson Burnett, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps Ward, Booth Tarkington, Julia Ward Howe, Charlotte Perkins Gilman, Alice Brown, General Charles King, Eliza Calvert Hall, Dorothy Dix, Olive Tilford Dargan, Florence Morse Kingsley, Helen Campbell, Ernest Harold Baynes, Frederick A. Ober, Marietta Holley, James Lane Allen, Charles Battell Loomis, Ernest Thompson Seton, Grace Gallatin Thompson Seton, David Graham Phillips, Louise Imogen Guiney, Edith Sessions Tupper, Brand Whitlock, Agnes C Laut, Edward S. Ellis, Lida A. Churchill, Hamlin Garland, Professor Edward Howard Griggs, Anna Randall Diehl, Julian Hawthorne, Charles Edward Russell, Frederic C. Howe, W. H. Ghent, Robert Hunter and Jane Addams

The Mistake He Made.

He sauntered into the central police station and approached the desk sergeant. There was a careworn look on his face. He stood there a moment as if in reverie. Finally as tears coursed down his cheeks he timidly said.

"I want to give myself up."

"What have you done that you should seek a felon's cell?" the sergeant asked.

"I have long been a fugitive from justice. The welfare of society demands that I should be punished."

"But what is it? What heinous offense have you committed?"

"I am a bigamist—yea, a polygamist—and I don't dare think what worse. No longer must I keep it from the world. Lock me up. I am ready to do penance."

"But will you not explain?"

"Yes, if you insist. I thought I married only the daughter, but I have found, to my sorrow, that the whole family was included."—Kansas City Independent

As a Corollary.

"Are marriages made in heaven?"

"As to that I can't say, but I do know this much."

"What's that, Peleg?"

"There's lots of courting done in church."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Didn't Get a Chance.

She—What did papa say when you asked him for my hand?

He—Why, he couldn't say a word.

"He couldn't?"

"No; your mother was there!"—Yonkers Statesman.

Ham With Jelly.

Melt in a saucepan a large tablespoonful of butter and half a glass of currant or other acid jelly. Shake in a little pepper and when hot lay in four or five small thin slices of boiled, cold ham. Let it boil up once and serve quickly on toast.—Boston Post.

Too Much.

Doctor—Now, there is a very simple remedy for this—er—this—er—recurring thirst. Whenever you feel you want a whisky and soda, just eat an apple—eat an apple. Patient—But—er—fancy eating fifty or sixty apples a day!—London Punch.

Sterilized.

"Have you," inquired the city visitor, "a moss covered bucket about the place?"

"No, sir," answered the farmer. "All our utensils are sterilized and strictly sanitary."—Kansas City Journal.

Useless Worry.

It frequently happens that a woman worries a great deal over the question of calling on another woman who does not care in the least whether she calls or not.—Chicago Record-Herald.

[illegible] is never long pleased with itself.—German Proverb.

Not.

"Shall we marry, darling, or shall we not?" was the short and witty line an ardent lover dispatched to the idol of his heart.

But, where the strangeness of the matter comes in, the girl replied: "I shall not. You may do as you please."

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? We can furnish positive proof that it has made many remarkable cures after all other means had failed.

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Evidence like the above is abundant showing that the derangements of the female organism which breed all kinds of miserable feelings and which ordinary practice does not cure, are the very disorders that give way to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Is the Tuberculosis Crusade Losing Ground?

Sanitaria Seemingly Fail to Check the Terrible White Plague. Enormous Sums Spent.

The recent report of the Texas State Board of Health reveals the startling condition that despite all the efforts being made by advocates of fresh air and egg-and-milk-gorging treatments, the number of new cases has not been noticeably decreased

This report applies to Sanitarium treatment It does not take into account the tubercular cases cured by Eckman's Alterative—when the disease was in an advanced as well as early stage The Sanitarium treatment has only benefited temporarily, while Eckman's Alterative has cured

Write to any sanitarium and ask them to refer you to even one or ten cured cases—not those temporarily benefited; but people who had tuberculosis and are today in perfect health At the same time write to the Eckman Laboratory, 6th & Market Sts Phila and ask them to refer you to Clergymen, Priests, men and women who took Eckman's Alterative and are today well and strong without a trace of tuberculosis—pronounced so by physicians Some of them took the Alterative 11 years ago when doctors said they would not live 11 weeks.

Could anything be fairer to yourself and those who love you and would do anything to restore you to health? If you are skeptical—investigate as to our medicine, our advertised statements Write, if you will, to those who have sent in affidavits and testimonials telling how Eckman's Alterative cured them

Eckman's Alterative is good for all Throat and Lung troubles, and is on sale other druggists It can also be obtained at, or procured by, your local druggist. Ask for Booklet of Cured Cases or write for evidence to the Eckman Laboratory, Phila, Pa.

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HISTORY ON A TUSK.

Picture Made by a Cave Man Millions of Years Ago.

Long ago, so long that even a scientist would hardly dare venture a guess as to the date, a man clad with only a wild beast's skin about his loins was sitting at the mouth of a cave in one of the rocky highlands in what is now southern France. He was scratching with a sharp flint on the fragments of an ivory tusk, perhaps picturing for some youthful admirers adventures through which he had passed or animals he had slain That ivory chip was stored away as a treasure, to be lost and forgotten after the cave man's death. One day a man named Lartet, digging in the cavern floor, found it. On it was scratched a very fair representation of the hairy elephant, probably at once the oldest picture and the oldest human record in existence.

We know the cave man was a faithful workman, for the melting ice fields of Siberia have yielded a perfect specimen of this extinct mammal, and the paleolithic picture is a true copy. Not only has this ancient sculptor given us a sample of the earliest art, but he has left us more valuable than all, a historical record of his time, for this rude picture is simply a page from the cave man's history which, translated into twentieth century English says "Men thinking Men were contemporaneous with the hairy elephant."

No record that any of humankind have ever left is half so ancient as this. The oldest Egyptian papyrus is a thing of yesterday compared to this paleolithic sculpture. While the cave man was living in Europe the valley of the Nile was yet only a wild waste. Egypt was not yet Egypt, and civilization as we know it had scarcely made a beginning.—Lippincott's.

THE NUMBER THIRTEEN.

Time Was When It Used to Be Considered Lucky.

Abstract science has done much in brushing away the cobwebs of popular superstition, and abstract science establishes the fact that thirteen in ancient times had quite a different meaning from the thirteen of today. Oriental people found in thirteen something divine and hence something good. Thus it is in the folklore of the Persians, the Indians and Hindoos

Old Testament Jews were of the same opinion, as Biblical students well know Thirteen cities were especially dedicated to the priestly tribe, thirteen high priests descended from Aaron, thirteen kings sat in the high council of the ancients; on the 13th day of the month Nisan the preparations for Passover began, and the holy incense consisted of thirteen different odors

It is well known that all the nations of the old world were in more or less intellectual rapport The ideas of one tribe descended to the other But it is certainly interesting to learn that the figure 13 had its sacred and divine meaning also in America of yore among the long since extinct tribes of the Incas and the Aztecs The inhabitants of Peru counted seven days without any particular name in the week. Their year had seven times fifty-two days, or four times thirteen weeks. The father was compelled to support his illegitimate child to the thirteenth year The Aztecs had weeks of thirteen days, each with a special name. Their century had fifty-two years, or four times thirteen Their public archives were of circular form, with a sun in the center of each of the thirteen parts, and thirteen were their tribes.

Polishing a Diamond.

The polishing of a diamond is a very slow process because of the great hardness of the material; besides this, the work must be frequently interrupted to allow the disk to cool out after it has become overheated by friction Each time a new facet is to be cut the diamond must be removed from the dop and reset at another angle, and the diamond cutter trusts to his eye alone to guide him in this delicate adjustment, although in the case of very small diamonds a magnifying glass is necessary The skill shown in placing the stone in the heated metal, sometimes with the bare hand, is surprising The regular brilliant has fifty-six facets, besides the table and the collet—thirty-two above the girdle and twenty-four below—but as eight facets are first formed, both above and below, each of these being recut into three or four smaller ones there are considerably more than fifty-six separate surfaces to be cut.—Dr George F Kunz in Century.

Premonition.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is the meaning of premonition?

Pa—Premonition my son, is what ails people who are afflicted with the "I told you so" habit.—Chicago News

A Sacrifice.

Fat Man—What! Are you going to let this small boy shave me? Barber—Let the boy have his fun for once. It is his birthday sir.—Fliegende Blatter

A scar nobly got is a good livery of honor.—Shakespeare

Hindsight.

"I made enough money in Wall street last week to buy a house and lot."

"Did you buy it?"

"Well, no; but I wish I had."—New York Herald

Why She Did It.

"Why is it," they asked, "that you let your husband have his own way in everything?"

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